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ACT OF INCORPORATION.

An Act *to incorporate the German Friendly Society.*

Whereas sundry persons, citizens of this State, have petitioned the legislature to be admitted a body corporate and politic, in name and in deed, by the name and style of the German Friendly Society. And whereas, from the object and nature of the institution, it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition.

Be it therefore enacted by the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives, now met and sitting in General Assembly, and by the authority of the same, That the said Society above mentioned, and the several persons who now are, or shall hereafter be members thereof, and their successors, members and officers thereof, shall be, and are hereby declared to be a body corporate and politic, in deed and in name, by the name and style of the "German Friendly Society;" and by the said name shall have perpetual succession of officers and members, and a common seal, with power to change, alter and make new the same, as often as the said corporation shall judge necessary.

The Society incorporated.

Be it also enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said corporation shall be able and capable in law, to purchase, have, hold, receive, enjoy and retain to itself, in perpetuity or for any term of years, any lands, tenements or hereditaments, of what kind or nature soever, not exceeding the annual income of five hundred pounds, and to sell, alien or lease the same, as they shall think proper; and by its said name to sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, answer and be answered unto in any court of law or equity in this State, and to make such

May hold property.

May sue and be sued

Rules and By-Laws, not repugnant and contrary to the laws of the land, as for the order, rule, good government and management thereof, may be thought necessary.

May hold donations.

And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful for the said corporation to take and hold forever any charitable donations or devises and bequests of land, not exceeding five thousand pounds, and personal estates, and to appropriate the same to the benefit of the said corporation.

May retain all the property now held by them.

And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said corporation shall be capable in law to have, hold and receive, enjoy, possess and retain all such estates, real or personal, money, goods, chattels and effects, which they now possess, or are entitled to, or which have been already given, devised or bequeathed thereto, by whatever name such gift, devise or bequest may have been made.

Shall be deemed a public act.

And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That this Act shall be deemed and taken as a public Act, and that notice thereof shall be taken in all the Courts of Justice, and elsewhere in this State, and shall be given in evidence without special pleading.

In the Senate House, the twentieth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety-one, and in the sixteenth year of the Independence of the United States of America.

DAVID RAMSAY,
President of the Senate.

JACOB READ,
Speaker of House of Representatives.

INTRODUCTION.

The reputation that the German Friendly Society has attained in this community, and the prosperity to which it has advanced, although retarded by many fortuitous circumstances, naturally lead the minds of those interested in its welfare and existence, to inquire into its origin, and mark the progress of it from infancy to maturity.

Previously to the year 1766, a number of Germans, at different periods, emigrated to Charleston, with a view of making permanent settlements, and seeking, in a new country, that repose which the petty principalities of their own had denied them. It became natural that those who were actuated by the same motives in emigrating, should have engendered in their bosoms the same community of sentiment and feeling, and that, being strangers to the language of the place, they should associate exclusively amongst themselves, and indulge in all the habits and manners to which they were accustomed. There is a peculiarly sociable disposition in the German character, adapting itself as occasion may offer, either to hilarity or solemnity; but, under all circumstances, adhering to an inflexibility in the cause of friendship that cannot be easily relaxed. Their great industry and punctuality insured them the means of extending their hands to the weak and unfortunate, and their acuteness always enabled them to make their charity efficient.

It was at the various meetings that the founders of this Society held for the purposes of recreation, that their conversations would turn upon their own country. That their "*Vaterland*" should be the theme nearest their hearts; that with all its defects they should still love it; he who has wandered in a foreign land and recals to his mind the delightful home he has left, can readily conceive. It

became natural, therefore, that their own countrymen should be selected above all, to engross their attention; not so much by the immediate dispensation of money to them, but by placing at their disposal the means of exerting the industrious habits formed in early life. In this way, numerous mechanics and other classes of emigrants were introduced into the community, where, from great industry and perseverance in their various occupations, they were soon enabled, in their turn, to aid in bestowing that charity to others which had succoured them in a foreign land: accordingly, the GERMAN FRIENDLY SOCIETY was established in Charleston, on the 15th January, 1766, at the house of MICHAEL KALTEISEN, who, together with the following fifteen gentlemen, comprise the FOUNDERS of it: MELCHIOR WARLEY, JOHN SWINT, ABRAHAM SPEIDEL, JOHN LEHRE, CHRISTIAN DUS, CHARLES GRUBER, PHILIP MINTZING, MARTIN MILLER, JACOB BRIEGEL, DANIEL STROBEL, CONRAD BURCKMYER, FREDERICK HOFF, EBERHARD EHNEY, JOHN KELLY and FREDERICK MATTUTZ.

Having organized themselves into a body, in order to extend more amply their charitable views, their first consideration was to establish the principles that should govern them, and to form a code of By-Laws adapted to those views. They limited their number from five to five hundred, and required no other qualification from the candidate for admission than that he should be no less than twenty-one, nor more than sixty-one years of age, and established the admission money as follows: each member to contribute £3* currency until twenty-three members were admitted, then £5† until there should be thirty, then 1 guinea until there should be forty, then £10‡ until there should be fifty, then £13§ until there should be sixty, then £16‖ until there should be seventy, then £19¶ until there should be eighty, and then £22** until there should be ninety, and then £25†† until there should be one hundred. But the sons of those who were members for seven years, were to pay one guinea entrance. In order to form a fund, a further contribution of 5s.‡‡ to the general stock was exacted from members

*About $1.82. †$3.06. ‡$6.12. §$7.94. ‖$9.76. ¶$11.58. **$13.40. ††$15.22. ‡‡15 cents.

present, and those absent one half of that amount, should they furnish a sufficient excuse for being absent from either of those meetings. At each weekly meeting the members present were to pay 1*s.* 3*d.** those absent double that amount; on the annual and quarterly meetings each member was to pay £1, 3*s.* 9*d.*,† out of which sum a rateable proportion, not to exceed 3*s.* 9*d.*‡ for each member, was allowed for refreshments, and the balance added to the general stock; but the whole expense of each member for such refreshments on those days was not to exceed £1, 3*s.* 9*d.*, the amount of his contribution: the amount paid at the weekly meetings was 1*s.* 3*d.* from those present, and 2*s.* 6*d.*§ from those absent; added to this, fines were established for the non-performance of duties by the officers, and deviations from propriety by the members at their several meetings; the Steward (then presiding officer) and Clerk, 7*s.*,‖ the Senior and Junior Wardens and Constables, 5*s.*¶ each for absence, unless they were out of town or sick. If a member, however, was sick, or obliged to be out of town on the annual or quarterly meeting, he was exempt from the payment of the £1, 3*s.* 9*d.* for the entertainment furnished on those days, provided he gave three days' notice of the fact.

So anxious were the Society to manifest great respect for decorum, that they resolved to guard against even the most remote infringement on propriety, and to repel every invasion upon the solemnity of the cause in which they were associated. They therefore very early passed rules to prevent frivolity, blasphemy, and to restrain religious and political disputes, well aware of the tendency these discussions have to sever the links of friendship, and to strike at the root and foundation of an establishment that could not exist amidst dissension and discord. Shortly after being thus organized, they discovered that they had omitted to limit their members altogether to Germans, and that in forming a National Society, they had overlooked the materials of which it was to be composed, the qualification being restricted simply to the age of the applicant. A Rule was accordingly introduced,

* 4 cents. † 70 cents. ‡ 19 cents. § 8 cents. ‖ 21 cents. ¶ 15 cents.

that none should be admitted as members but native Germans, or such as were born of German parents, and that no other language but German or English should be spoken at their several meetings. The provision of the first part of this Rule is obvious. In excluding all other nations from membership, they must have had reference alone to a desire of having the Society purely of a national character; this could not be obtained by the indiscriminate admission of natives of all countries; it would have been an innovation upon their national habits, which they also wished to preserve, and in limiting their charity to Germans exclusively beyond their members, they could not, with propriety, exact contributions from an American or Englishman, to be devoted, perhaps, to their own countrymen. They wished, at their meetings, to carry their minds back to the spot of their nativity, to have an unanimity of sentiment, and, if possible, to be as one, indulging in little eccentricities and harmless amusements, or in sober sadness and sorrow, as occasion might offer; and this, to them, could not be so gratefully felt, unless it coincided strictly with the habits and customs in which they indulged in their native land. To have admitted other than their countrymen, would have broken the delightful charm that surrounded the conviviality of their meetings; it would have been a restraint upon their independent indulgences, destroyed their identity, and made them parts of a mass, when their object was to compose the whole of it. In adopting the second part of this Rule, they had reference to the preservation of decorum, and to check conversations in languages not understood but by few at their board. It was to guard against exciting suspicion as to the nature of those conversations; to prevent misconstruction on the part of those who might not thoroughly understand the language in which they should be held, and to avert the possibility of those circumstances engendering a hostile feeling in the breast of those who emphatically styled themselves a "Friendly Society." The reasons upon which this Rule was founded have ceased, and with them the Rule itself. As our ancestors passed from the stage of life, they left no inheritance of habits or peculiar German feelings. Born

in another hemisphere, habits congenial to that clime soon fixed upon their descendants, and the Rules, from time to time, became so altered, as to conform either to the exigency of circumstances, or as more enlarged views would present themselves; and hence the qualifications for admission have been gradually enlarged, until at this time, *a native German, a native of a country where the German language is currently spoken, or the husband of the descendant of a German, may be admitted a member.*

The deviations that have been made from the ancient landmarks of this association are of very unimportant character. Many Rules have been abolished, the reasons and policy of which have long subsided, and others have been added, to keep pace with the various changes that have resulted in the government of the country and the alterations of the habits of our people. Charity, the strong and solid rock upon which it is built, we now adhere to as firmly as when it was delivered over to us by our worthy founders; and, by pursuing the example of punctuality and prudence, which were the distinguished traits in their management, we have greatly added to the superstructure, and raised an edifice, grateful to the supporters, and cheering to the humble hearts that are compelled to seek shelter beneath it.

From the inconsiderable amount contributed by the members, it was impossible that any permanent or efficient charity could be bestowed; they therefore came to the conclusion that, as a body, they would not dispense charity until seven years should elapse, and pledged the amount they might then possess for the formation of a general stock, that should be devoted in perpetuity to the objects and views of their association. In the course of the first year, the whole of their funds were £78, 14*s.* 3*d.*,* out of which they paid £16† for a seal, and had £50‡ out on interest. At the end of the year they had increased to £230, 14*s.* 6*d.*§ and their number of members to 37, two of whom died in that year. In four years after their establishment, their funds amounted to £1,313, 16*s.*,‖ and their number diminished by death and exclu-

*About $48.19. † $9.79. ‡ $30.63. § $141.28. ‖ $804.37.

sion for non-payment of arrears to 32, although 49 had been admitted up to that time.

Towards the latter part of the year 1772, preparations were made to commence carrying into effect the laudable intentions cherished by the founders, in establishing a permanent charity. Accordingly, on the 28th October, 1772, the principles upon which it should be allotted, were defined. A Rule was formed, that no charity should be given from their funds, but to one who had been a member for seven years, and had fully paid up his arrears to that time, except to the widows and children of deceased members; that no charity should be given by a majority of less than nine members, at any regular meeting; to give no more than £30* to any petitioner in one year, for three years in succession; and no more than £60† to any one, for four years after the three first had expired; and to avoid too great an exhaustion of the funds, they restricted themselves to an appropriation of £168‡ being the interest of their whole stock at 8 per cent. for the first three years, after which, in the succeeding four years, they limited their charity to the interest of what their whole stock should amount to at the end of the three years. This prudence was a manifestation of great foresight, and has been the polar star that has guided the Society to its present prosperity; for it is manifest that no fund of any extent could be created if too great a draught were made upon the contributions, and certainly none could ever be raised, if the whole income were annually absorbed. The step was, therefore, wisely taken, to observe the most rigid economy, and make their income exceed, as much as possible, their expenditures.

A committee on charity was this year established for the first time, consisting of Michael Kalteisen, Abraham Speidel, George E. Hahnbaum, Christian Sigwald and Joseph Kimmel, and the principle fixed, never to touch any portion of the funds, except the annual income arising from investments, for any purpose whatever; and, in all cases, to restrict the expenditures of the income. The

* $18.34. † $36.68. ‡ $102.87.

whole amount of their funds at this time were £2,100* and the number of members 48, although 81 had been admitted, and this Society had existed but seven years. It was at this period that they altered the title of their presiding officer from "Steward" to that of "President"; and "Constables" to that of "Stewards," and established the office of "Vice President."

The first charity dispensed was an appropriation of £35† to aid in burying a deceased member. After this, calls were seldom made for assistance; and the funds had so far increased as to enable the Society to indulge their patriotic feelings, by lending to the State of Carolina, in 1777, £1,300‡ out of their spare funds. Shortly after this a destructive fire raged in Charleston, and the Society, anxious to relieve those of its members that may have been sufferers from it, directed the committee on charity to advertise for such to apply for relief. It does not appear, however, that the Society was, at any time, called upon for this purpose.

The expenses of the annual and quarterly dinners having increased, in consequence of the enhanced price of provisions, arising out of the conflict in which the country was engaged for independence, compelled them to augment the contributions to meet that object, from 78 cents to $1 81 for dinner and liquors.

At this time they made a further loan of £1,000 to the State. The whole of their funds now consisted of £4,600 at interest, and cash £78, 8*s.* 2*d.*, making £4,678, 8*s.* 2*d.*§ the number of members being 49, out of 95 admitted up to this period.

In 1778, the members having amounted to 100, a scale similar to that before adopted, was graduated, for the admission of those who should succeed. It was then established, that the admission to the 110th member, should be £27‖, to the 120th, £30¶, to the 130th, £35**, to the 140th, £42††, and then to the 150th, £52‡‡. In this year, the first regular charity was dispensed; to the widow of a member, £25§§ were allotted, and a private subscription raised among the members, in addition, amount-

* $1,285.71. † $23.42. ‡ $795.90. § $2,865.34. ‖ $16.52. ¶ $18.35. ** $21.42. †† $25.73. ‡‡ $31.83. §§ $15.30.

ing to £147, 17*s.* 6*d.** The sum of £150† was also given to the committee, to devote to charitable purposes, according to the rules of the Society.

With a view further to increase their stock, in 1779, the contributions were increased to 20*s.*‡ at the annual and quarterly meetings, and 10*s.* at the weekly, three-fourths of which were to be applied to charitable purposes.

From May 5th, of this year, until the succeeding 30th of June, no meeting was held, in consequence of an apprehension that the British were about attacking the city, all other considerations being absorbed in devising the proper means of resistance. The excitement being temporarily allayed, the Society met as usual, until the spring of 1780, when, with the fall of Charleston, their operations were again suspended, nor did they resume them until the 1st of January, 1783.§

The disasters and troubles of war had now ceased; the clouds that had lowered upon the happiness of our country had given place to the glorious effulgence of liberty; and the fragments of an association that had been scattered by the storm, were now gathered up in peace and safety.

At the time of resuming their benevolent exertions, the Society was worth £5,985, 11*s.* 3*d.*‖ having previously expended £525, 10*s.*¶ The method of appropriating charity was to vote a certain sum of money, at any meeting, which was confided to the committee on charity, who were to dispense it at their discretion, according to rule.

A committee being appointed on the 15th of January, 1783, to report the amount of the stock of the Society, from the commencement of it, to that time, rendered in a statement, by which it appeared they were possessed of £6,702, in bonds, cash and paper money; £140 in specie; £1,915, interest due; the whole being equal to about $5,875 71.

The Society now further increased the admission money

* $90.54. † $91.80. ‡ $2.62.

§ The proceedings of the 8th of January, 1783, afford an amusing document. It is the report of a committee on the causes which created this interruption, and breathes a warm and indignant spirit at the conduct of the enemy upon the surrender of Charleston.

‖ $3,664.29. ¶ $321.75.

to £162, 10*s.*,* leaving that of sons of members as heretofore. The annual and quarterly contributions were raised to £3, 5*s.*† and the weekly to £1. 12*s.* 6*d.* The fines of the President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary, for absence from annual and quarterly meetings, were £1, 12*s.* 6*d.*‡ and the Wardens and Stewards 20*s.*§ All the other fines were increased eight-fold.

Mr. Gerard Teise, a German, residing in London, this year presented the Society with a seal and a copper-plate, for printing their certificates of membership. The thanks of the Society were communicated to him, and in testimony of the high sense they entertained for the kind feelings manifested by him towards them, made him an honorary member of their body.

Although the Rules of the Society restricted the dispensation of charity from their stock, yet when instances occurred of strong cases not coming within their sphere, they were ever ready as individuals, to extend aid from their private funds, for at this time we find a donation of 14 guineas from charitable subscription, in behalf of one, who, together with his family, had arrived in the country in a very destitute condition, "arising from the calamities of the late war, and from his perseverance in the late glorious struggle."

The accounts of the Society were now ordered to be kept in sterling money, the exchange being reduced 7 to 1.

In the year 1785, the names of persons on the bounty, were, for the first time, reported together, from which it appears, there were three widows and three children receiving aid, and that £67 5*s.* 7*d.*‖ were dispensed amongst them.

In consequence of the great depreciation of continental money, it was thought proper to revise the admission money, contributions and fines; accordingly on the 22d August, 1787, a new system was adopted, by which the admission money was fixed at £5¶ sterling; the annual and quarterly contribution of members, whether present or absent, at 1*s.*;** the contributions at the weekly meetings of those present at 4*d.* and those absent at 6*d.*

* $99.48. † $2.00. ‡ $1.00. § $00.62. ‖ $47.94. ¶ $21.42. ** $00.21.

These sums were appropriated to increase the stock, the expenses of the meeting being paid by the members in proportion to their number.

In 1788, our worthy and venerable member, Jacob Sass, presented the Society with the large mahogany chair appropriated to the use of the President.

Passing through a short period, we arrive at the year 1791, when the Society became incorporated. At this time they were worth £638, 15*s.* 7*d.* in cash, and bonds to the amount of £1,378, 1*s.* 2*d.* making about $8,643.58; but finding a total failure of payment of interest on the bonds which they held for many years, and as, in many instances, the principal sum loaned out became insecure, occasioned, as they thought, by the system sheriff sales' bill and instalment laws, which had nearly annihilated public credit and private confidence, so far as to reduce the value of bonds 50 to 60 per cent. they passed a rule authorizing the investment of their funds in real estate. In the year 1792, the Society lost £165* in the payment of premiums for exchange of money. The pensioners this year, were reduced to four, who received £48.† The number of members, at this time, amounted to 50 out of 169 who had been admitted.

The Society, for the reasons before stated, were desirous of investing their funds in a manner that would insure them more punctuality in the receipt of their income, than that which the precarious nature of bonds afforded. In 1794 they turned their attention to bank stock, and purchased with what funds they could spare, six shares in the South Carolina Bank, the only institution of the kind then in Charleston, for which they paid £10 medium per share. At the close of the year 1795, their bank stock had accumulated to fifty-seven shares, the cost of which was $40. With this increase of means, objects of charity became more numerous, and at the anniversary in 1796, we find the number to have risen to twelve, who received together $319.04. In 1797, the Society owned one hundred South Carolina Bank shares, valued at $45 per share; they then resolved not to purchase any more

* $708.57. † $205.71.

bank stock, but to vest their future funds in South Carolina State stock, and that of the United States, which was done at 17*s.* in the pound. Two years after this, the Society increased their charity to £155, 10*s.* 8*d.* which was distributed amongst eleven pensioners; the Society being then possessed of £199, 11*s.* 1*d.* in cash, and £1,050 in bank stock, £1,276 in bonds, and $3,381 in 6 per cents.*

In the year 1800, the qualification for admission was enlarged, and embraced descendants from the male line of a member.

The meetings of the Society, after the first few years of its existence, were held at some public house in Charleston. From being frequently compelled to shift their quarters, either through the caprice of the landlord, or from circumstances connected with him, they turned their attention to fixing an establishment of their own, where they could conduct their affairs with more ease and independence. On taking a view of their funds, they ascertained themselves to be worth $15,128 27, in bonds, bank and United States and State stock, which, with the contributions of members, yielded them an annual income of $1,800. In this calculation all doubtful debts were rejected.

The expenditure for charity had greatly increased, and was now $942 15, which, with the Clerk's salary, $107 14, left a balance of $751 71. The Society then unanimously resolved, on the report of a committee raised to ascertain the expediency of the measure, as well as the means by which it could be effected, that a lot should be purchased, and a plan of a building, together with estimates, should be obtained, and that the Treasurer should call in payment of the bonds to aid in meeting the contemplated expenditure. The lot in Archdale street, 50 feet front and 213 feet deep, was purchased for $1,285 55, and shortly after was erected upon it the building in which they now assemble, 64 feet long, 28 feet wide, and 2 stories high.† From calculations that had been made, it

* $14,204.79.

† The Society, in 1807, purchased the lot adjoining theirs to the south, having the same front and depth, for $2,155, affording them an open space of 100 feet front, by 213 deep.

was conjectured that the building would cost $4,285, and so much had been applied from the funds for that purpose. But from improvements that had been adopted, it was found that there would be a deficiency of $939; the members then agreed to raise that sum amongst themselves by voluntary subscription; they promptly raised and paid $2,073, $1834 of which were paid in money, the residue in donations towards improving the building. This amount not only enabled the Society fully to complete their object, but afforded disposable funds for the general improvement of their premises. On the eleventh March, 1801, the corner-stone was laid by the two surviving founders, Michael Kalteisen and Daniel Strobel, Sen., with emotions keenly and sensibly portrayed on their venerable countenances. Their minds at the moment must irresistibly have been led back to the first foundation of the Society itself. A gradual retrospect of all the scenes and anxieties incident to a state of war must have passed in review before them—the recollection of the small means by which the Society was first commenced, the increased prosperity it had arrived at, must have afforded gratification to them of a nature not to be described: but one portion must have been of a melancholy character—the reflection, that of all who gave life to the institution, they stood alone; their worthy associates were gathered to their fathers, and it seemed as if it was left to them only to reap the delightful sensations afforded by the ceremonies of that day—for it was they alone who witnessed its rise from adversity to prosperity. Captain Kalteisen, in an address he made on the spot to the members and citizens who had assembled to witness the ceremony, made these remarks:

"The most sanguine amongst our original members never looked forward to the pleasing events of this day, nor anticipated the flourishing condition and growing magnitude of our finances; they have, by almost imperceptible means, exceeded our calculations and even outrun our hopes. It now remains for us, my friends, by wisdom and economy, to husband the rising prospect of felicity to thousands of our fellow creatures, whose grateful tears will embalm our memory, and eternize our pious fame.

"As I had the honor of being among the first projectors of this establishment, I feel uncommon solicitude for its prosperity, and do most devoutly pray, that the great and Eternal Disposer of all events, whose throne is mercy, and the happiness of his creatures, may cast a gracious eye on our undertaking; and as our motives are pure, so, O God! prosper these, the work of our hands."

The building being completed, on the 16th of December, 1801, the Society resolved to hold their first meeting in it; and, with a view of celebrating the event, the committee on contracts furnished a dinner in the new Hall, at which the two surviving founders presided, one as President, the other as Vice President, and to which sixty-four members sat down, and passed the day in the good feeling and fellowship so well calculated to be inspired by such an occasion. A house in the neighborhood was provided for the accommodation of the widows on the bounty of the Society, in which they partook of the entertainments of the day; and to such of them, as through infirmity or sickness, could not attend, a portion was sent; so that "they who gave, and they who received," all partook of the good cheer and grateful excitement afforded by this celebration.

At the end of the year, notwithstanding the great expenditures of it, the Society's funds amounted to $12,782.26, after paying $827.84, to eleven widows and children, then on the bounty.

Upon the completion of the building, Daniel Strobel, Jr., of Bordeaux, presented to the Society, the large, and one of the smaller splendid glass chandeliers, which now so brilliantly adorn the Hall, the Society paying the importing price of the other; making a donation, the first cost of which, in England, was $800. This gentleman was afterwards constituted an honorary member, in consideration of the attachment he evinced towards the Society, by this valuable gift.

On the 8th of May, 1805, Cleland Kinloch, Esq., presented the Society with two hundred and fourteen volumes of German books, comprising some very valuable works in the various departments of the literature and science of that country.

In February, 1802, upon the resignation of Jacob Martin, as Treasurer, that office was undertaken by Jacob Eckhard, Sr., who, for a period of twenty-seven years, has discharged the duties of it with a degree of precision, integrity and punctuality, seldom met with, and never surpassed. Iu this year, the Society amounted to 99 member, 255 having been the whole number from the formation.

On the 7th of December, 1806, Daniel Strobel, Sr., one of the two surviving founders, departed this life, aged 73 years. The Society, as well to manifest their respect for him, on that acccount, as the regard and esteem cherished by them, individually, for the many virtuous traits that adorned his character, resolved to hang their Hall in mourning; and at their request, a member delivered an eulogium before them, upon the life and character of this excellent individual.

On the 3d of the succeeding November, his worthy colleague, Michael Kalteisen, also departed this life, in the 79th year of his age. According to his request, and by a previous resolution of the Society, his remains rest in a sacred spot, within the walls of the Society's premises. The members, to evince their respect for the last of the founders of their institution, also placed their Hall in mourning, and a suitable eulogium was delivered, by a member, on the occasion. They afterwards erected a neat monument to his memory, near the spot where he lies buried.

The Society having a spacious building, the lower part of which was unoccupied, a more enlarged sphere of operation presented itself to view, in the establishment of a school, not only for the purpose of educating the children of members upon an economical plan, but by raising a fund, in process of time, greatly to enlarge its operations.

We are indebted to the intelligence and zeal manifested by the late John C. Faber, whilst a member, in the pursuit of every object connected with the prosperity of the institution, for the projection of our school. Its origin, like that of the Society, was of a limited and humble nature, and contemplated nothing more than the

simple rudiments of an English education. It was justly foreseen, that, if patronized by the members, after payment of the expenses, a surplus would remain, which, being vested, would in time, enable the Society to extend the course of education. The school was opened for the reception of the children of members, without distinction of sex, and such children who could thereafter become members, although their fathers were not so, or if females, whose brothers could become members. The teacher was bound to instruct twenty-three children, who should be placed at the school, by the members of the Society, and twelve on his separate account; but should he have an assistant, he was authorized to extend his own number to thirty-seven, making in all sixty. His salary was fixed at $440 per annum, together with the use of the premises, and to make such regulations concerning his own pupils, as he might think proper.

The school was opened under the direction of Marlborough Hamilton, as teacher, on the 3d of January, 1803, with twenty-nine scholars, six of whom appertained to his private number. At the end of the first year, the balance in favor of the school, after payment of all expenses, was $593.60.

The success of the school, and extreme punctuality of the members, in the payment of the tuition money, greatly increased the funds allotted for this purpose. With a view of not combining the income from this source with that received from members to be devoted to charity, a distinct fund was created, called the *school fund*, which was alone to support that branch; so that should the operations of the school fail, it would not affect the *charity fund*.*

Previously to the year 1810, the number of scholars appertaining to the members, generally amounted to 23, and, at some times, many supernumeraries were paid for by them separately, or were upon the list, ready for admission whenever a vacancy should occur, until January, 1810, when the school opened under a new teacher, with but twelve pupils. In the course of that year, however,

* This fund is denominated in the Rules, "The Stock."

the number became filled, and the school continued rather prosperous, until the year 1818. In the intermediate time, the teacher's salary was raised to $640. The decline of the school became now very apparent, and continued so until the latter part of the year 1821, when it became necessary, in order to retrieve it, that a total change in the system, and an enlargement of its exercises, should be adopted.

In January, 1822, the school was devoted exclusively to the education of males, and opened under the auspices of Mr. John Haslam, a gentleman well educated and highly suitable for the station to which he was called.

The school became immediately so completely renovated by him, that scarcely a vestige of the old system can now be discerned. Thitherto, English, Latin, Geography and French formed the whole exercises of the school; since then, English, Greek, Latin, Geography, Algebra, Mathematics, Rhetoric, Writing and Arithmetic, are taught in the most efficient manner. The Rule still remains in force, allowing the teacher to instruct, on his private account, twelve pupils beyond the number twenty-three paid for by the members; and should he employ a competent assistant, that number might be increased to thirty-seven, the price of whom to be regulated exclusively by himself. In the course of two years, the applications for admission into the school became so numerous, that the teacher was obliged to employ an assistant; and since that time to the present, the number has been generally full; and, in many instances, applicants were waiting for vacancies, in order to be admitted.

The school had its origin from a desire on the part of the members, after having built their house, that the lower part of it, consisting of one large and one smaller room, should be occupied as school rooms, and as the free rent of them and the free use of their dwelling house in the yard would be an object to a teacher, the necessary sum to be paid in money could be less than the usual price of education in the city. It was deemed proper, therefore, that the school should be so established, as that the sum paid by the members should be somewhat *more* than the *ratio* paid by the Society, though *less*, if the

privileges were taken into consideration. By this means, there would always be a balance to put out at interest annually, which in a series of years would increase so far as to form a fund that would enable the Society to place the school upon the most extensive and useful foundation.

From the circumstance of this being called the "German Friendly Society's School," and that Society being known as a charitable body, an impression for a long time had gone abroad that it was a charity school. Nothing can be more erroneous than this idea. It is simply an association of gentlemen who formed a fund for education, to which each who sends a pupil to the school should pay $10 per quarter, when, for the same education, he would be compelled to pay $20 at any other seminary in the city—and even those educated on the bounty of the Society, have always been paid for out of the charity fund, as though they were sent to any other school.

It may be remarked as a fact highly honorable to the punctuality of our members, that, although the school has been in existence nearly twenty-six years, and, with the exception stated above, has been generally full, yet in that period of time, the Society has lost but $37 50 by non-payment of tuition money. This fund is now worth upwards of $8,000 in United States and other stock.

The school is now in the most properous condition, the teacher devoting himself to its interest beyond what is required of him, thereby justly guaranteeing the esteem and confidence of all interested in the prosperity of the establishment.

In the year 1816, Dr. Philip Tidyman, of this city, made a donation to the Society of eleven volumes of very valuable books, in French, German, and Latin; he made a further donation of an elegant oil painting of the battle of Fort Moultrie, and twenty-four quarto volumes of Luther's Works in the original German. These are books of great value, and with those previously received, render their collection of the literature of Germany a very desirable one. This gentleman also made a donation of $50 to the fund for the relief of distressed transient Germans. The Society adverting to the kindness displayed by him in their behalf, unanimously constituted

him an honorary member of their body. The same expression of feeling would have been tendered to the other gentleman, but death had removed him beyond the reach of gratitude.

Turning our attention to another æra, the establishment of the "FUND FOR THE RELIEF OF INDIGENT TRANSIENT GERMANS," presents itself. It frequently occurred that applications were made to the Society from Germans arriving in Charleston in a destitute condition, under the idea that, as a German Society, we were bound to bestow charity upon them. The Rules precluding us from touching any of our funds for such purpose, the sympathy of the members present would be naturally excited, and generally resulted in a voluntary collection, that was given to the applicant. In this way, numerous impositions were practiced upon the members, and charity, in many cases, injudiciously bestowed. It was then proposed, on the 14th day of March, 1821, that a fund should be raised, for charity to distressed transient Germans, by increasing our quarterly contributions, by subscription amongst the members, Germans not members, and such charitable citizens as might be disposed to further the object. To aid this undertaking, the members subscribed and paid $463; Germans and their descendants, not members, $208; a collection at the Lutheran Church yielded $86; charitable individuals, not of German descent, $20; making $777. In one year after the establishment of this benevolent fund, Mrs. ELIZABETH FRISCH, widow of CHARLES FRISCH, a deceased member, gave a legacy to this fund of $1,000, which, with the interest, has recently been paid, and makes an increase to it of $1,420. It became necessary, to prevent imposition, to guard well the dispensation of charity from this fund; accordingly, it is limited to the relief of such Germans as should immediately arrive in Charleston in a destitute condition, without having obtained a legal residence in any other State; a committee is charged to make rigid and impartial inquiry into the condition of the applicant, and report to the Society, who, thereupon, allot so much money out of the interest of this fund as they may think the exigency of the case requires.

Some years previous to 1822, the flourishing state of the funds enabled the Society to bestow upon its objects more than $1,000 annually; but, since that time, the reduction of the dividends on 156 South Carolina Bank shares to $468, has compelled the Society reluctantly to reduce the widows' and orphans' pittance down to $920, for the present.

The German Friendly Society has risen to vigor and stability, with very little extraneous support; and what has been received was within two years, and the greater part within one month. Mrs. Timmons, the widow of Lewis Timmons, a deceased member, bequeathed to it $200, $150 of which have been received; $1000, bequeathed by Mrs. Frisch, as before stated, and $500 by the late Thomas Karwon, Esq., who included the German Friendly Society amongst the objects of his bounty.

The Society has been in existence nearly sixty-three years; its whole possessions the first year were $46 90, and at this time it is worth upwards of $40,000; and to this sum its funds had risen before any donation was ever made to them: taking into view the reduction of the value of one hundred and fifty-six South Carolina Bank shares, and the diminution of income from that source one hundred per cent. The arrears of members were always moderate; but it was to the rigid punctuality and payment of them and the *great fidelity of those entrusted with the money concerns*, that we are indebted for this increase. It is confidently believed, from documents in the archives of the Society, that the loss it has sustained, from members excluded for non-payment of arrears, from its foundation to this time, exceeds very little $100.

The Society consists of one hundred members, having from its first establishment admitted three hundred and ninety-five, and now pursues its objects in the same systematic and quiet order, which characterized their predecessors, and is so consonant with the habits of those from whom they sprung.

It cannot be expected that much increase in its funds can take place for many years. The age of a Society is not limited like the years of a man; for its parts are continually renovating; and although the materials of

which it is formed gradually decay and pass into oblivion, yet it can still flourish in the vigor of youth; and when all of us shall have been called to a higher association, hundreds of our descendants yet unborn, emulating the example of their ancestors, will be able on a more extensive scale, to administer comfort and relief to many, who are yet to open their eyes upon the sorrows and afflictions of this world.

CHARLESTON, October, 1828.

SINCE the close of the foregoing sketch, the Society moved on slowly in its improvement and usefulness and nothing of note transpiring until 1842, when we were called upon to mourn the loss of a valued member, Mr. JACOB F. MINTZING. He served for many years as President and ever felt a great interest in the welfare of the Society, and we now have a very correct portrait of his, hanging in our Hall.

In 1847, the Rules were so amended, that the admission fees were altered, and embraced the admission of persons of every clime. Members' sons paying $5; persons marrying members' daughters, $10; Germans and their descendants, $20; and others with no German descent, $30; and recently the annual arrears have been fixed at ten dollars.

In this same year it was found that the general impression had got abroad that our schools were charity schools (although it was a very erroneous opinion), and it had the effect of injuring the usefulness of the schools and they were abolished. The fund is now kept for any future disposition that may be made, for the education of the members' children.

Our worthy benefactor, Dr. TIDYMAN, continued annually to give us a donation to our Relief Fund, until the year 1850, when he left his home for Europe, to endeavor to restore his health. He had safely reached Aberdeen, in Scotland, when it pleased Almighty God, in his unsearchable Providence, to call him from the state of

action, far from his home and amongst strangers. His benevolent feelings towards us were never abated, and in his last will and testament, he bequeathed to the Society, for the relief fund, 5,000 dollars, which amount is subject to a contingency, but no doubt, will eventually be paid to the Society. The Society, in great respect for his memory, had a monument erected in the Hall of the Society's buildings.

In 1858, one of our members, Mr. F. Stall, departed this life. He had been a member but a few years, but feeling a deep interest in the welfare of the Society, left us in his last will the sum of five hundred dollars.

The library of the Society now contains over 1,200 volumes, most of them having been presented by the late Dr. Tidyman.

The Society now pays out annually for the relief and education of our deceased members' widows and children about thirteen hundred dollars.

The Society now numbers over 100 members, having from its formation admitted 559.

Charleston, October, 1858.

Up to the outbreak of the recent war, nothing occurred to mar the progressive and eminently successful career of the German Friendly Society. It had, for a long period of years, enjoyed a high degree of prosperity; its field of usefulness had become largely expanded, its permanent funds were ample, and it was enabled to provide for the objects of its bounty in a manner highly satisfactory to an intelligent and liberal membership. As an organization, venerable in years and in good works, it stood high in public esteem. Solid in worth, conservative in its aims, zealous in the cause of charity, it proved an efficient aid to the widow, the orphan, and the stranger from afar, and in a high degree realized the fond expectations of its founders.

But with the progress of the war, a change began to work, which soon manifested itself in the condition of the

Society. The summons to arms called into the tented field large numbers, and the attendance at the meetings grew smaller by degrees. In the course of time, the terrific and destructive bombardment of the city, which rendered the lower portion thereof uninhabitable, began. Fire and destruction were imminent, and, in consequence, the library, records, and other personal property of the Society, were removed to a place of safety, and our Hall was closed, as it afterwards proved, never to be re-opened. The regular weekly meetings were suspended, and at irregular intervals, and in various places, the scanty remnant of membership still left in the city, would convene for the transaction of such urgent business as required attention. The future was dark and foreboding, and to crown the disasters which had come upon us, our cherished Hall fell a prey to the devouring flames. On the seventeenth day of September, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, a fire broke out in Clifford street, which caused great destruction of property, and was finally communicated to our Hall, in Archdale street. Strenuous exertions were made to stay the progress of the flames, but the efforts were futile, and the Hall was entirely consumed, nothing remaining but an unsightly pile of blackened ruins, to point out the spot where once it stood.

Our Society was largely represented on the numerous battle-fields of the late war, and many of her members received painful and dangerous wounds; others were captured and confined as prisoners of war, and three of them were killed in battle. Robert A. Blum, a high-toned and gallant young man, was slain on the fifth day of September, 1863, in the defence of the ever-memorable Battery Wagner. John Klinck, Jr.. noble and exemplary in character, fell on the plains of Virginia, in a charge on the Weldon R. R., on the 21st day of August, 1864. And Theodore A. Klinck, a brave and excellent youth, was wounded in Virginia, at the battle of Seven Pines, which was fought on the 31st of May, 1862, was captured and died of his wound, in Philadelphia, 11th June, 1862.

Thus three of our members, who, in the purity of their

lives, and in the prompt discharge of the duties of life, had earned for themselves the respect of our community, fell in the bloody fray, leaving as a legacy to their friends, pure and unspotted characters.

At the close of the late war, the Society found itself crippled in resources, its Hall in ruins, and its membership scattered. Fortunately, a small building on the premises of the Society, in the rear of the old Hall, had escaped the flames, and this was fitted up as a place of meeting, and as such is now used. In common with the community at large, the Society sustained heavy losses by the war, in its bond and stock investments, amounting in all to the round sum of $40,000, and it was found advisable to consolidate the school fund in the general stock fund.

Hope in the future and faith in its own ability, sustained the Society, and gave it a new courage to continue its career of usefulness.

On the seventeenth day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, the Society celebrated its first centennial anniversary, in a manner highly appropriate to the character of the day. In the forenoon of the day, the Society, and large representations from kindred Societies of the city, assembled at St John's Lutheran Church, where an address was pronounced by the Rev. John Bachman, D. D., the oldest living member, who, by a most singular coincidence, fifty years prior to that day, on the occasion of the celebration of the semi-centennial anniversary, as the orator of the day, had pronounced a similar address. The day was one for silent congratulations, and for thanks to that kind Providence, whose protecting care had preserved our existence as an organization through so long a series of years, and amid such general destruction as surrounded us on every hand.

Great exertions have been made to rebuild our Hall, and during the year 1866, a commodious lot was purchased, on Meeting street, with a view of building at some future day upon the same.

By a resolution of the Society, the portrait of the Rev. Dr. John Bachman, who officiated as orator on the occasions of the semi-centennial and the centennial anniver-

saries of the Society was painted, and now hangs in our meeting-room, along with those of Michael Kalteisen, Jacob Sass, M. Strobel, Philip Tidyman, and Jacob F. Mintzing. These last named portraits, together with the larger portion of the library, and other valuable property, were saved from the ravages of the war by the self-sacrificing exertions of Capt. Jacob Small, who, for several successive terms has presided over the Society, and who, in the discharge of his duties as President, has, by an energetic zeal, contributed largely to the resuscitation of our fallen fortunes.

A strong hope in the future and a firm reliance upon our united efforts in behalf of the Society, induce us to believe that prosperity will again smile upon our cherished institution.

March, 1869.

SCHEDULE OF ASSETTS

OF THE

GERMAN FRIENDLY SOCIETY,

SEPTEMBER, 1869.

STOCK FUND.

Twelve Hundred Dollars, Personal Bond, secured by mortgage.
One Thousand Dollars, Personal Bond, secured by mortgage.
One Thousand Dollars, Personal Bond, secured by mortgage.
Fourteen Hundred Dollars, Bond of Corporation.
One Thousand Dollars, State South Carolina Seven Per Cent. Stock.
Seven Hundred Dollars, State South Carolina Six Per Cent. Bonds.
Six Hundred and Ninety-four Dollars, State So. Ca. Six Per Cent. Stock.
One Hundred and Thirty-five Dollars, City Six Per Cent. Stock.
One Hundred and Forty-five Shares Planters' & Mechanics' Bank Stock.
Seventy-five Shares Bank of Charleston Stock.
Thirty-six Shares Union Bank Stock.
Thirty-six Shares People's Bank Stock.
House and Lot, Archdale Street; Lot one hundred feet front, two hundred feet deep.
Lot in Meeting Street, West side, between Market Street and Horlbeck's Alley; sixty-three feet front, one hundred and forty feet deep.

RELIEF FUND.

Fifteen Hundred Dollars, Personal Bond, secured by mortgage.
Three Hundred and Fifteen Dollars, City Six Per Cent. Stock.
One Hundred Dollars, State South Carolina Six Per Cent. Stock.
Twelve Shares Bank of Charleston Stock.
Eleven Shares Planters' and Mechanics' Bank Stock.
Seven Shares Union Bank Stock.
Nine Hundred Dollars in Cash.

RULES

OF THE

GERMAN FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

RULE I.

German Friendly Society established.

THIS Society shall be known by the name of the GERMAN FRIENDLY SOCIETY, and may consist of any number of members not less than five, which number shall constitute a quorum.

Quorum.

Seal.

Their Seal shall exhibit a *Tree*, on one side of which shall be represented a male figure sustained by a *Cornucopia*, an emblem of *Plenty;* and on the other a female figure, holding in her left hand a *Pair of Scales*, an emblem of *Justice;* the whole surrounded by the words "*Industry, Justice and Charity*, 1766."*

RULE II.

SECT. 1. Qualification for admission.

To become a member of this Society, an applicant must have attained the age of twenty-one years, and be of good moral character.

SECT. 2. Application for membership.

Application for admission shall be by letter, addressed to the "PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE GERMAN FRIENDLY SOCIETY," signed by the applicant, recommended by two members, and which

* This is a correct description and, not an alteration of the old Seal.

Regeln

der

German Friendly Society.

Regel 1.

Diese Gesellschaft soll unter dem Namen „German Friendly Society" bekannt sein und kann aus irgend einer Anzahl Mitglieder bestehen, nicht weniger als fünf, welche Zahl ein Quorum bilden soll.

„German Friendly Society" gegründet.

Quorum.

Auf ihrem Siegel soll ein Baum sein, an dessen einer Seite eine männliche Figur mit einem Füllhorn, ein Emblem des Ueberflusses, und an der andern Seite eine weibliche Figur, die in ihrer linken Hand eine Waage hält, ein Emblem der Gerechtigkeit; das Ganze umgeben von den Worten: "Industry, Justice and Charity, 1766." *

Siegel.

Regel 2.

Um Mitglied dieser Gesellschaft zu werden, muß der Applicant ein und zwanzig Jahre alt sein und einen guten moralischen Charakter haben.

Section 1. Qualification zum Eintritt.

Applicationen für Mitgliedschaft müssen brieflich eingereicht werden, addressirt an den „Präsident und Mitglieder der German Friendly Society", unterzeichnet von dem Applicanten, welcher von zwei Mitgliedern empfohlen sein und zugleich angeben

Section 2. Applikation für Mitgliedschaft.

* Dies ist eine correcte Beschreibung und nicht eine Veränderung des alten Siegels.

Qualification of applicant.

must state on what qualification he grounds his application. This letter shall be read in the Society on the evening it is presented, and the candidate ballotted for at the subsequent regular meeting; the Society, however, at such regular meeting may postpone such ballotting until the next regular meeting, but not beyond that period. Three-fourths of the ballots given must be in favor of the applicant to entitle him to admission, and upon his paying the sum of Thirty Dollars, together with his arrears from the time he was ballotted for to the time of his appearance at the Society, and signing the Rules, he shall be admitted. But if he be a native of Germany, or of an European country, the current language of which is the German; or the lineal descendant of a native of Germany, or of a native of an European country, the current language of which is the German; or the husband of a lineal descendant of Germany, he shall be admitted a member on the payment of Twenty Dollars, together with all arrears as aforesaid; or if he be the husband of the daughter of a member, who for seven years had been such, and if alive is, or if dead, was at the time of his death a member, and his contributions had been paid in the manner hereinafter specified for the payment of deceased members, he shall be admitted a member on the payment of Ten Dollars; or if he be the son of a member, with the same qualifications as mentioned in the last sentence, he shall be admitted a member on the payment of Five Dollars, together with arrears aforesaid. A member, who has been such for fifty years, and

¾ of the ballots necessary for admission.

Admission money and conditions of membership.

muß, auf welche Qualification er seine Application gründet. Der Brief soll in der Gesellschaft an dem Abend verlesen werden, in welchem er eingereicht wurde, und soll in der nächsten regelmäßigen Versammlung für den Candidaten ballottirt werden, doch hat die Gesellschaft die Macht, das Ballotiren bis zur nächsten regelmäßigen Versammlung zu verschieben, aber nicht länger. Drei Viertheile der abgegebenen Stimmen müssen zu Gunsten des Applicanten sein, um ihn zum Eintritt zu berechtigen, und nachdem er die Summe von dreißig Dollars, mit den Beiträgen von der Zeit an, daß über ihn abgestimmt wurde, bis zur Zeit seiner Erscheinung in der Gesellschaft, bezahlt hat und die Gesetze unterschrieben, soll er als Mitglied betrachtet werden. Aber wenn er ein Eingeborner von Deutschland, oder von einem europäischen Lande, wo die deutsche Sprache gangbar ist; oder der directe Abkömmling eines Eingeborenen von Deutschland, oder eines Eingeborenen eines europäischen Landes, wo die gangbare Sprache die deutsche ist; oder der Mann einer directen Abkömmlingin eines Deutschen, dann soll er zum Eintritt als Mitglied berechtigt sein, gegen Baarzahlung von zwanzig Dollars, zusammen mit allen Beiträgen, wie oben erwähnt; oder wenn er der Mann der Tochter eines Mitgliedes ist, welches sieben Jahre Mitglied war, und am Leben ist, oder wenn todt, zur Zeit seines Todes Mitglied war und seine Beiträge auf die Weise bezahlt waren, wie es später hierin, für die Bezahlung der Beiträge verstorbener Mitglieder angegeben ist, dann soll er gegen Bezahlung von zehn Dollars Mitglied werden; oder wenn er der Sohn eines Mitgliedes ist, mit denselben Qualificationen wie oben angeführt, dann soll er Mitglied werden gegen Bezahlung von fünf Dollars, zusammen mit den Beiträgen wie oben. Ein Mitglied, welches 50 Jahre lang der

Qualification der Applikanten.

3-4der Stimmen nothwendig zum Eintritt.

Eintrittsgeld und Bedingungen der Mitgliedschaft.

his arrears paid up in full, shall be considered a Life Member, without any further contribution.

SECT. 3. Applicant rejected, or not complying with the condition, not entitled to admission for six months.

Should any applicant be rejected upon a ballot, or should any one who received the number of ballots to entitle him to admission, not pay his admission money on or before the twelfth meeting after he was ballotted for, he shall not be entitled to membership without making application anew.

SECT. 4.

Every member upon his admission shall be entitled to a printed copy of these Rules, and a Certificate in the following words:

"CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA.

Form of Certificate.

"THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that ——— ——— was, by a Majority of Votes, regularly received and admitted a member of the GERMAN FRIENDLY SOCIETY, at a meeting held the ——— day of ————, Anno Domini 18—.

"GIVEN under our hands, and the Seal of the Society, the ——— day of ———, 18—.

[L. S.] ——— ———, PRESIDENT.

——— ———, SECRETARY."

RULE III.

SECT. 1. Meetings.

The meetings of the Society shall be held every Wednesday, at the Society's House; but should the same be destroyed by fire, or other accident, the President may convene the Society by public notice, at any convenient place in Charleston.

SECT. 2. Anniversary meeting.

The Anniversary Meeting of the Society shall be held on the third Wednesday in January, from twelve o'clock, M., to five o'clock, P. M.

Quarterly meetings.

The Quarterly Meetings on the third Wednesday in April, July, and October; and the meetings of the Society on every Wednesday evening,

Gesellschaft angehörte und seine Beiträge bezahlt hat, soll von weiteren Beiträgen befreit sein.

Sollte irgend ein Applicant zurückgewiesen werden, oder sollte irgend Jemand, welcher die nöthige Anzahl Stimmen, die ihn zur Aufnahme berechtigen, erhielt, sein Eintrittsgeld nicht an oder vor der zwölften Versammlung, nachdem für ihn ballotirt war, bezahlen, so soll er nicht zur Mitgliedschaft berechtigt sein, wenn er seine Application nicht erneuert. Section 3. Applicanten zurückgewiesen, oder nicht die Bedingungen erfüllt, während 6 Monaten nicht zur Aufnahme berechtigt

Jedes Mitglied soll bei seinem Eintritt zu einer gedruckten Copie dieser Regeln berechtigt sein und ein Certificat in folgenden Worten erhalten: Section 4.

„Charleston, Süd-Carolina.

„Dies ist zu bestätigen, daß ——— ——— durch Stimmenmehrheit, regelmäßig erwählt und als Mitglied der "German Friendly Society" aufgenommen wurde in einer Versammlung, gehalten am——————————Anno Domini 18— Form der Certificate.

„Gegegeben unter unserer Handschrift und dem Siegel der Gesellschaft, am——————18—

(L. S.) ——— ———Präsident.

———Secretär."

Regel 3.

Die Versammlungen der Gesellschaft sollen jeden Mittwoch Abend in dem Hause der Gesellschaft gehalten werden; aber sollte dasselbe durch Feuer oder irgend einen anderen Unfall zerstört werden, dann kann der Präsident die Gesellschaft, durch öffentliche Notiz, an irgend einen anderen passenden Platz in Charleston berufen. Section 1. Versammlungen.

Die Jahres-Versammlung der Gesellschaft soll am dritten Mittwoch im Januar von Mittags 12 bis Abends 5 Uhr gehalten werden. Die vierteljährigen Versammlungen am dritten Mittwoch im April, Juli und October; und die Versammlungen der Gesellschaft an jedem Mittwoch Abend sollen vom Section 2. Jahresversammlung. Vierteljährige Versammlungen.

Weekly meetings.

from the 20th March to the 19th September, inclusive, shall begin at eight o'clock, and from 20th September to 19th March, inclusive, shall begin at seven o'clock.

RULE IV.

SECT. 1. Election of Officers—in what manner.

At every Anniversary Meeting the members present shall elect on the same ticket a President, a Senior Warden, a Junior Warden, a Treasurer, a Secretary, and two Stewards; designating explicitly on the ticket the names and various offices for which the vote is intended; and the person having the highest number of votes shall be elected to those offices for which the votes are given; and the two persons having the highest number of votes for Stewards, shall be elected Stewards.

SECT. 2. Officers to reside within 3 miles of Charleston.

All persons elected to the above offices must reside within three miles of Charleston.

SECT. 3. Time of opening polls. Election in case of a tie, &c.

The poll for said election shall be opened from one o'clock until three o'clock, P. M. In the event of no choice from the equality of votes or otherwise, or refusal to serve of any officer elect, the poll shall not be opened until the next succeeding meeting, at which time an election shall be entered into to supply the vacancy or vacancies, and the poll remain open from the hour of meeting until the hour of adjournment shall arrive, after which the votes shall be immediately counted, and the result of the election declared.

SECT. 4. President to appoint managers.

Whenever any election for officers is to take place, the President, at some meeting previous thereto, shall appoint *three members* to conduct

20. März bis zum 19. September inclusive um 8 Uhr, und vom 20. September bis zum 19. März inclusive um 7 Uhr beginnen. Wöchentliche Versammlungen.

Regel 4.

In jeder Jahres-Versammlung sollen die Mitglieder, auf demselben Zettel, einen Präsidenten, einen Senior Warden, einen Junior Warden, einen Schatzmeister, einen Secretär und zwei Verwalter erwählen, und auf dem Zettel genau die verschiedenen Namen und verschiedenen Beamtenstellen, wofür man zu stimmen beabsichtigt, angeben, und die Person, welche die meisten Stimmen bekommt, soll für das Amt erwählt sein, wofür die Stimmen abgegeben worden, und die beiden Personen, welche die meisten Stimmen für Verwalter haben, sollen als Verwalter erwählt sein. Section 1. Wahl der Beamten — auf welche Weise.

Alle Personen, welche für obige Beamtenstellen erwählt werden, müssen innerhalb drei Meilen von Charleston wohnen. Section 2. Beamte müssen innerhalb drei Meilen von Charleston wohnen.

Der Stimmkasten für die besagte Wahl soll von 1 bist 3 Uhr Nachmittags eröffnet sein. Im Fall keine Wahl getroffen wird, durch Stimmengleichheit oder auf andere Weise, oder die erwählten Beamten sich weigern, zu dienen, soll die Wahlurne nicht eher als bis zur nächsten Versammlung eröffnet werden, zu welcher Zeit dann eine Wahl stattfinden soll, um die Vacanz oder Vacanzen auszufüllen, und soll die Wahlurne von der Zeit der Eröffnung der Versammlung bis zur Vertagung offen sein, wodann die Stimmen augenblicklich gezählt, und das Resultat der Wahl erklärt werden soll. Section 3. Zeit für Eröffnung des Stimmkastens. Wahl im Fall von Stimmengleichheit ꝛc.

Wenn immer eine Wahl für Beamten stattfinden soll, ernennt der Präsident in einer vorhergehenden Versammlung drei Mitglieder, um dieselbe zu Section 4. Präsident ernennt ein Wahlcomite

the same, (any two of whom may act at a time). Should there be a vacancy at the time of election amongst those appointed to conduct the same, the presiding officer shall immediately appoint one or more, as the case may be, to make up the deficiency.

SECT. 5. List of members who have not served as Stewards to be exhibited.

At every election for a Steward or Stewards, the Secretary shall exhibit a list of such members as have not served in that office; and a member shall not be eligible to any other office of the Society unless he had served as Steward the term for which he was elected.

Vacancies in either office—how to be filled.

In case of the death, resignation, refusal to serve, removal from the limits assigned, or departure from the State, without permission of the Society, of any officer, granted at a regular meeting, his place shall be filled by an election at the next meeting after it became vacant; and if then an inferior officer be promoted, the office of the latter shall be filled by an election at the same meeting; except the Treasurer and Secretary, whose places, if either of them accept another office before his term expires, shall not be filled before the next meeting.

Penalty for not serving in office.

Whoever may be elected to any of the above offices, and declines serving for the full term for which he was elected, shall forfeit five dollars. But if a member should be elected to an office which he had previously filled, or to one of an inferior grade, he shall not be liable to the fine; *provided*, he decline as soon as notified by the Secretary of his election.

leiten (zwei von diesen können zur Zeit handeln). Sollte zur Zeit der Wahl eine Vacanz unter Denjenigen sein, welche ernannt wurden, dieselbe zu leiten, dann soll der vorsitzende Beamte augenblicklich einen oder mehrere, wie es der Fall sein mag, ernennen, um dem Mangel abzuhelfen.

Section 5. Liste der Mitglieder, die noch nicht als Verwalter gedient haben, muß vorgezeigt werden.

Bei jeder Wahl für Verwalter soll der Secretär eine Liste derjenigen Mitglieder vorlegen, die noch nicht in diesem Amte gedient haben, und soll ein Mitglied zu keinem anderen Amte der Gesellschaft befähigt sein, das nicht als Verwalter für die Zeit, wo es erwählt wurde, gedient hat.

Vacanzen in Beamtenstellen, wie sie ausgefüllt werden.

Im Fall ein Beamter resignirt, sich weigert zu dienen, oder aus dem vorgeschriebenen District oder Staate wegzieht, ohne in einer regelmäßigen Versammlung die Erlaubniß der Gesellschaft erhalten zu haben, soll seine Stelle durch eine Wahl in der nächsten Versammlung, nachdem dieselbe vacant wurde, wieder besetzt werden, und wenn dadurch ein niederer Beamter erhöht wird, soll das Amt des Letzteren in derselben Versammlung durch Wahl wieder besetzt werden, ausgenommen das Amt des Schatzmeisters und Secretärs, deren Stellen, wenn irgend Einer von ihnen ein anderes Amt annimt, ehe ihre Zeit abgelaufen, nicht besetzt werden sollen bis in der nächsten Versammlung.

Strafen für Nichtannahme von Beamtenstellen.

Wer zu irgend einer der obigen Beamtenstellen erwählt wird, und sich weigert, während des vollen Termins, wofür er erwählt wurde, zu dienen, soll fünf Dollars Strafe bezahlen. Aber wenn ein Mitglied zu einem Amt erwählt wird, welches er früher inne gehabt, oder zu einem niedrigen Amte, braucht er keine Strafe zu bezahlen, im Fall er den Secretär gleich nach seiner Wahl davon in Kenntniß setzt.

RULE V.

Duty of the President.

The President shall maintain the general observance of the Rules, and preserve due order at all meetings of the Society. He shall put all questions, and declare the result thereof. He shall appoint all committees, and fill all vacancies that may occur therein; issue orders on the Treasurer when required by a majority of any meeting of the Society, which orders shall not be signed except at the time and place of such meeting. In the absence of the President, the senior officer present shall preside, and may exercise all the powers that the President could, were he present.

Orders for money to be signed only at a meeting.

Senior officers to preside in absence of President.

RULE VI.

SECT. 1. Duty of Senior Warden.

The Senior Warden shall have a seat opposite the President, and shall aid in preserving order and decorum.

SECT. 2. Duty of Junior Warden.

The Junior Warden shall have a seat on the right of the President, and shall give him such assistance in transacting the business of the Society, as he may require of him. He shall be *ex officio* Chairman of the Committee on Supplies. In the absence of the Senior Warden, he shall act as such.

Ex officio chairman of the Committee on Supplies.

SECT. 3. How to proceed in case every officer be absent.

Should the President, Senior Warden and Junior Warden be absent from any meeting, the members present shall, by a plurality of votes, appoint a member to preside, who shall nominate some one to fill the Senior Warden's chair.

Regel 5.

Der Präsident soll die allgemeine Beobachtung der Regeln aufrechthalten, und in allen Versammlungen der Gesellschaft Ordnung halten. Er soll alle Fragen stellen und das Resultat derselben erklären. Er soll alle Committeen ernennen, und alle Vacanzen, welche darin vorkommen, füllen; er soll Anweisungen an den Schatzmeister ausgeben, wenn es von einer Mehrzahl in irgend einer Versammlung der Gesellschaft verlangt wird, welche Anweisungen nur zur Zeit und am Ort der Versammlung unterschrieben werden sollen. In der Abwesenheit des Präsidenten soll der älteste anwesende Beamte den Vorsitz führen, und alle Rechte des Präsidenten haben, als wäre er selbst gegenwärtig.

Pflicht des Präsidenten.

Orders für Gelder blos zu unterzeichnen i. d. Versammlung.

In Abwesenheit des Präsidenten führt der älteste Beamte den Vorsitz.

Regel 6.

Der Senior Warden soll seinen Sitz gegenüber dem Präsidenten haben und ihn unterstützen, Ordnung zu halten.

Section 1. Pflicht des Senior Warden.

Der Junior Warden soll seinen Sitz zur Rechten des Präsidenten haben, und ihm solche Unterstützung in den Geschäfts-Verhandlungen der Gesellschaft geben, als von ihm verlangt werden mag. Er soll ex-officio Vorsitzer des Vorraths-Committees sein. In der Abwesenheit des Senior Warden, vertritt er dessen Stelle.

Section 2. Pflicht des Junior Warden.

Ex officio-Vorsitzer des Vorraths-Committees.

Sollte der Präsident, Senior Warden und Junior Warden von irgend einer Versammlung abwesend sein, dann sollen die Mitglieder durch Stimmenmehrheit ein Mitglied zum Vorsitzer ernennen, welcher irgend Jemand ernennt, den Platz des Senior Warden zu besetzen.

Section 3. Was gemacht werden soll, wenn alle Beamte abwesend sind.

RULE VII.

SECT. 1. Treasurer's duty.

The Treasurer shall take charge of a chest, in which shall be lodged the Society's seal, bonds, mortgages, securities, papers, books and accounts, to be delivered to him by the Committee on Accounts.

SECT. 2. All evidences of property, etc., to be placed in a box, and deposited in one of the banks.

President and Treasurer to take a joint receipt for such deposit.

All title deeds, certificates of stock, bank shares, and other specialties, upon being inspected by the Treasurer and Committee on Accounts, shall be put in a box, sealed with the Society's seal, and deposited in one of the banks in Charleston, by the President and Treasurer, who shall take a joint receipt for the same, which receipt shall be exhibited to the Society the first meeting thereafter. Two exact schedules of the contents of the box shall be drawn up, one of which, signed by the President, shall be copied in the Journal and delivered to the Treasurer; the other, signed by the Treasurer, shall be kept by the President.

SECT. 3. Schedules may be altered.

These schedules shall be altered as often as the Society shall think proper to remove from or add to the contents of the box. This box shall never be taken out of the bank unless by order of the Society.

SECT. 4. Treasurer to give bond and security.

Condition.

On or before the meeting succeeding the election of a Treasurer, he shall execute a bond, with security to be approved of by the Society, which bond shall be in the penal sum of *three thousand dollars;* and the condition thereof shall express, that the Treasurer shall keep a true and just account of all monies entrusted to his care, belonging to the GERMAN FRIENDLY SOCIETY, as well

Regel 7.

Der Schatzmeister soll die Kiste, worin sich das Gesellschafts-Siegel, Verschreibungen, Hypotheken, Sicherheiten, Papiere, Bücher und Rechnungen der Gesellschaft befinden, und ihm von dem Finanz-Committee überliefert wurden, aufbewahren. Section 1. Pflicht des Schatzmeisters.

Alle Urkunden, Certificate von Actien, Bank-Actien und andere Besonderheiten, nachdem sie von dem Schatzmeister und dem Finanz-Committee untersucht, sollen in ein Kästchen gelegt, mit dem Gesellschafts-Siegel versiegelt und vom Präsidenten und Schatzmeister in eine der Charlestoner Banken deponirt werden, welche zusammen eine Quittung dafür nehmen, welche Quittung in der nächsten Versammlung der Gesellschaft vorgelegt werden muß. Zwei genaue Abschriften der Documente sollen genommen werden, wovon eine unterschrieben vom Präsidenten, in das Journal copirt und an den Schatzmeister abgeliefert werden soll; die andere, vom Schatzmeister unterzeichnet, soll der Präsident aufbewahren. Section 2. Alle Beweisstücke von Eigenthum 2c. in ein Kästchen gelegt und in eine Bank deponirt. Präsident und Schatzmeister nehmen gemeinschaftlich eine Quittung darüber.

Diese Abschriften sollen so oft verändert werden, wie es die Gesellschaft verlangt, von dem Inhalt zu nehmen oder hinzuzufügen. Dieses Kästchen soll niemals aus der Bank genommen werden; ausgenommen auf Befehl der Gesellschaft. Section 3. Abschriften mögen verändert werden.

Der Schatzmeister soll vor oder in der Versammlung nach der Wahl ein Sicherheitsschreiben, worin die Bedingungen seines Amtes genau angegeben, nebst genügender Bürgschaft von dreitausend Dollars, der Gesellschaft zur Anerkennung vorlegen und sollen die Bedingungen darin ausgedrückt sein, daß der Schatzmeister eine genaue und richtige Rechnung über alle ihm zur Aufbewahrung übergebenen und der "German Friendly Society" gehörigen Gelder führen soll, Section 4. Schatzmeister gibt Verschreibung mit Sicherheit. Bedingungen

as all *choses in action* or any other article whatever, which by the Rules of said Society he is, or may be required to take charge of, and that he, his executors or administrators, will account for and pay over all monies, and deliver up all *choses in action* or other article whatever, which, by the Rules of said Society he is, or may be, required to take charge of, to the order of the Society, whenever he ceases to be in office, or while he is in office, when required to do so by a majority of any meeting. The penalty of this bond may be increased, by resolution, at any meeting previous to the election of a Treasurer.

SECT. 5. Treasurer to submit his books, papers, etc., to Committee on Accounts

He shall submit his books, papers and vouchers, together with a regular balance sheet, to the examination of the Committee on Accounts, the meeting previous to the Anniversary, or as often as the Society may direct, at which time he shall exhibit the receipt from the bank where the box is deposited.

SECT. 6. Treasurer to collect monies. When to report cash in hand.

The Treasurer shall collect all monies due to the Society. He shall report the amount of cash in his hands at the next meeting after every quarterly meeting, whenever he receives any money other than the contributions of the members, and also whenever he has in hand two hundred dollars or upwards.

SECT. 7. In what manner stock to be transferred.

No part of the stock of the Society shall be transferred without a previous resolution of the Society, and in no other manner than by the President and Treasurer in conjunction, of which the banks and offices issuing such stock shall be notified by the Secretary.

ferner über alle choses in action oder irgend einen andern Artikel, den er nach den Regeln der Gesellschaft aufzubewahren hat, und daß er, seine Executoren oder Administratoren dafür verantwortlich sein wollen; ferner daß er alle Gelder ausbezahlen und alle choses in action und anderen Artikel, die er nach den Regeln der Gesellschaft aufzubewahren hat, ausliefern muß, wenn seine Amtsthätigkeit aufhört, oder auch während derselben, wenn es von einer Mehrzahl in irgend einer Versammlung von ihm verlangt wird. Der Betrag dieser Verschreibung kann durch Resolution in irgend einer Versammlung, die der Wahl des Schatzmeisters vorangeht, erhöht werden.

Section 5. Der Schatzmeister legt seine Bücher, Papiere &c. dem Rechnungs-Committee vor.

Er soll seine Bücher, Papiere und Zeugnisse, sowie eine regelmäßige Abrechnung des Finanz-Committees in der Versammlung vor dem Jahrestag, oder so oft als es die Gesellschaft verlangt, zur Examination vorlegen, und zu gleicher Zeit soll er die Quittung der Bank, in welcher die Documente deponirt sind, vorzeigen.

Section 6. Schatzmeister soll ausstehende Gelder collectiren.

Der Schatzmeister soll alle ausstehenden Gelder der Gesellschaft collectiren. In der nächsten Versammlung nach jeder Vierteljahrs-Versammlung soll er Bericht abstatten, wie viel Geld er in Händen hat, wenn er anderes Geld als Beiträge von Mitgliedern empfangen hat, und ebenfalls wenn er zweihundert Dollars oder mehr in Händen hat.

Section 7. Auf welche Weise Aktien transferirt werden.

Kein Theil der Actien der Gesellschaft soll ohne vorhergehenden Beschluß der Gesellschaft transferirt werden, und auf keine andere Weise als durch den Präsidenten und Schatzmeister gemeinschaftlich, wovon die Banken und Officen, welche diese Actien ausgegeben, durch den Secretär benachrichtigt werden sollen.

SECT. 8. To pay no money except by order.

The Treasurer shall pay away no money on account of the Society, unless on the authority of an order signed by the presiding officer, as specified in the fifth Rule.

SECT. 9. To represent the Society.

The Treasurer shall be authorized to represent the Society in all institutions in which they hold stock, unless specially ordered otherwise by resolution.

SECT. 10. Commissions.

The Treasurer shall be entitled to *two and a half per centum* on all sums received, and the like per centage on all sums paid away.

RULE VIII.

SECT. 1. Secretary's duty.

The Secretary shall, from time to time, procure books, paper, and other materials for writing, at the Society's expense. He shall keep a book independently of the Journal, in which he shall transcribe this Code of Rules, to which every member now belonging to this Society, and each member hereafter admitted, shall subscribe his name; and where, also, the time of admission, death, resignation or expulsion of each member shall be noted. He shall keep a regular Journal of all the transactions and proceedings of the Society at every meeting, in which he shall mention the names of the members present, keep an accurate account of all arrears, contributions, entrance monies, fines, donations, and copy all reports received from the Treasurer, or any committee.

SECT. 2. Penalty for not sending his books in case of non-attendance.

When he cannot attend a meeting of the Society he shall send the necessary books and papers within a quarter of an hour after the stated

Der Schatzmeister soll kein Geld auf Rechnung der Gesellschaft auszahlen, ausgenommen auf Autorität eines schriftlichen Auftrags, unterzeichnet von dem vorsitzenden Beamten, wie in Regel 5 angegeben. Section 8. Kein Geld auszubezahlen ohne schriftliche Order.

Der Schatzmeister soll autorisirt sein, die Gesellschaft bei allen Institutionen, wo dieselbe Actien hat, zu repräsentiren, falls es nicht durch einen speciellen Beschluß anders bestimmt wird. Section 9. Die Gesellschaft repräsentiren.

Der Schatzmeister empfängt zwei und ein halb Procent von allen Summen, die er einnimmt, sowie dasselbe pr.-Centum von allen Summen, die ausgezahlt werden. Section 10. Provisionen.

Regel 8.

Der Secretär soll von Zeit zu Zeit Bücher, Papier und andere Schreibmaterialien auf Rechnung der Gesellschaft anschaffen. Er soll ein Buch außer dem Journal halten, in welchem diese Gesetze abgeschrieben sein sollen, worunter jedes Mitglied, das zur Gesellschaft gehört, sowie jedes Mitglied, welches später aufgenommen werden mag, seinen Namen schreiben soll, und worin ebenfalls die Zeit der Aufnahme, des Todes, der Resignation oder der Ausstoßung jedes Mitgliedes notirt werden soll. Er soll in jeder Versammlung ein regelmäßiges Protokoll über die Verhandlungen der Gesellschaft führen, worin die anwesenden Mitglieder verzeichnet sein sollen; er soll eine genaue Rechnung über alle Beiträge, Contributionen, Eintrittsgelder, Strafen und Schenkungen führen, und alle Berichte, welche er vom Schatzmeister oder irgend einem Committee erhalten, copiren. Section 1. Pflichten des Secretärs.

Wenn er einer Versammlung der Gesellschaft nicht beiwohnen kann, soll er die nothwendigen Bücher und Papiere innerhalb einer Viertelstunde nach der angesetzten Zeit der Versammlung einsenden; wenn Section 2. Strafe, wenn im Fall von Abwesenheit die Bücher nicht gesandt werden.

period of meeting, and for default thereof he shall be fined one dollar, unless he can make a sufficient excuse.

SECT. 3. Minutes to be read and examined.

The minutes of every meeting shall be read immediately preceding the adjournment thereof; they shall be again read immediately after the opening of the succeeding meeting; and, to insure accuracy, it shall be the duty of the President, in conjunction with the Junior Warden, or, in his absence, some member to be appointed by him, to examine the Journal, whilst the Secretary reads from the rough minutes and documents upon which the transactions set forth in the Journal are founded, compare the same, and have all errors corrected.

SECT. 4. The Secretary shall keep his books in the Hall.

The Secretary shall keep his books in the Society's Hall, and register on his Journal the death of each member, his admission into the Society, his place of burial, age, and such other matters relating to him as may be deemed interesting.

SECT. 5. Shall summon all committees and attend if required.

He shall summon all committees and attend the same, when required to do so by the chairman, under a penalty of one dollar for neglecting of either duty, unless he makes a proper excuse.

SECT. 6. Shall read the Rules when required.

He shall read the Rules, or any part thereof, whenever required by the Society.

SECT. 7. Shall submit his books to the Committee on Accounts and notify applicants of their re-

He shall, every year, submit the books and Journal of the Society to the inspection of the Committee on Accounts, who shall examine the same, and report thereon at the meeting previous to each Anniversary, and shall notify all who

er dies nicht thut, so soll er einen Dollar Strafe bezahlen, falls er nicht eine genügende Entschuldigung einreicht.

Section 3. Die Verhandlungen verlesen und examinirt.

Die Verhandlungen jeder Versammlung sollen stets vor der Vertagung derselben verlesen werden; auch sollen sie gleich nach Eröffnung der nächstfolgenden Versammlung nochmals verlesen werden, und um ihre Richtigkeit zu prüfen, soll es die Pflicht des Präsidenten sein, im Verein mit dem Junior Warden, oder im Falle der Abwesenheit des Letzteren mit einem andern von ihm ernannten Mitglied das Journal zu untersuchen, während der Secretär das Concept und die Documente liest, auf welche die im Journal niedergeschriebenen Verhandlungen basiren, dieselben vergleichen und alle Fehler corrigiren lassen.

Section 4. Der Secretär soll seine Bücher in der Halle halten.

Der Secretär soll seine Bücher in der Halle der Gesellschaft aufbewahren und den Tod jedes Mitgliedes, die Zeit seines Eintritts in die Gesellschaft, den Ort, wo es begraben, sein Alter und andere dies Mitglied betreffende Sachen von Interesse in das Journal einschreiben.

Section 5. Soll alle Committees vorladen und wenn es verlangt wird, denselben beiwohnen.

Er soll alle Committees vorladen und deren Versammlungen beiwohnen, wenn es von dem Vorsitzer verlangt wird; für Versäumniß irgend einer dieser Pflichten soll er einen Dollar Strafe zahlen, wenn er keine genügende Entschuldigung hat.

Section 6. Soll die Gesetze verlesen, wenn es verlangt wird.

Er soll die Gesetze vorlesen, oder irgend einen Theil derselben, wenn es von der Gesellschaft verlangt wird.

Section 7. Soll seine Bücher dem Finanzcommittee vorlegen u. Applicanten von ihrer Zurück-

Er soll jedes Jahr seine Bücher und das Journal der Gesellschaft dem Finanz-Committee zur Revision vorlegen, welches dieselben examiniren und darüber in der Versammlung vor jedem Jahrestage berichten soll. Auch soll der Secretär alle Applicanten

jection or admission.

apply for admission of the result of their application.

SECT. 8. Shall notify chairmen of committees to have their acc'ts presented by 1st Jan.

He shall notify the chairman of each standing committee that the Society will require all accounts for work done, or articles furnished by their orders, to be presented on or before the first day of January ensuing.

In absence of Treasurer shall receive money paid to the Society.

In the Treasurer's absence the Secretary shall receive all monies paid to the Society, and deliver the amount thereof to the Treasurer, on or before the next meeting at which the latter attends: and in general he shall execute all duties required of him by the Rules, or directed by the Society.

Salary.

The Secretary's salary will be two hundred and fifty dollars annually, to be paid in quarterly instalments. It shall be subject, however, to alterations, by the resolution of the Society, at any annual meeting, as circumstances may occur or require.

Secretary pro tempore may be appointed.

When the Secretary is absent from any meeting the presiding officer shall appoint a Secretary *pro tempore.*

RULE IX.

SECT. 1. Duty of the Stewards.

The Stewards shall, at each meeting of the Society, place on the table such proportion of refreshments as may be conformable to the regulations of the Society. They shall likewise perform such other duties as may be required of them by the Rules of the Society. In the absence of a Steward, the President shall appoint a member to act in his stead, if he deem it necessary.

für Mitgliedschaft von dem Resultat ihrer Application in Kenntniß setzen.

weisung oder Aufnahme benachrichtigen

Er soll den Vorsitzer jedes ständigen Committee's benachrichtigen, daß die Gesellschaft verlangt, daß alle Rechnungen für geleistete Arbeit oder für gelieferte Artikel auf ihre Order, am oder vor dem nächsten 1. Januar vorgelegt werden.

Section 8. Soll Vorsitzer v. Committees benachrichtigen ihre Rechnungen vor dem 1. Januar vorzulegen.

In der Abwesenheit des Schatzmeisters soll der Secretär alle Gelder, welche in der Versammlung einkommen, in Empfang nehmen und den Betrag in oder vor der nächsten Versammlung an den Schatzmeister abliefern, uud soll ferner alle Pflichten, die entweder in den Regeln angegeben oder von der Gesellschaft beschlossen, erfüllen.

In Abwesenheit d. Schatzmeisters soll er die Gelder, welche an die Gesellschaft bezahlt werden empfangen.

Der jährliche Gehalt des Secretärs ist auf zweihundert und fünfzig Dollars festgesetzt und soll vierteljährlich bezahlt werden, doch kann die Gesellschaft, wenn es die Umstände verlangen, dieses in einer jährlichen Versammlung durch einen Beschluß abändern.

Salair.

Wenn der Secretär von irgend einer Versammlung abwesend sein sollte, soll der vorsitzende Beamte einen Secretär pro tempora ernennen.

Secretär pro tempora kann ernannt werden.

Regel 9.

Die Verwalter sollen in jeder Versammlung der Gesellschaft Erfrischungen, die mit den Regulationen übereinstimmen, der Gesellschaft vorstellen; ebenfalls Pflichten erfüllen, die nach den Regeln der Gesellschaft verlangt werden. In der Abwesenheit eines Verwalters soll der Präsident, wenn er es für nothwendig befindet, ein anderes Mitglied an dessen Stelle ernennen.

Section 1. Pflichten der Verwalter.

RULE X.

SECT. 1. Stock, how to be raised.

That portion of the funds of the Society hitherto denominated the Stock, shall be raised and improved from the following sources:

1st. From the entrance money of members.

2ndly. From the arrears of members, which shall be ten dollars per annum, payable quarterly or annually.

3dly. From the income and rents of the Society's lots and buildings.

4thly. From such fines and forfeitures as may arise by virtue of any rule of the Society.

5thly. From such donations, legacies and bequests as may be made to the Society.

SECT. 2. May consist of what.

The Stock of the Society, raised and improved by the ways and means aforesaid, shall and may consist of real and personal estate, bank stock, public securities, and *choses* in action, of every kind; the income, or interest alone, arising therefrom, may be appropriated to charitable purposes.

SECT. 3. Surplus to be vested.

Should the income of the Society exceed the amount required for charitable and incidental expenditures, the surplus shall be vested to increase the capital stock.

And how.

When there is in the hands of the Treasurer a sufficient sum of money, he shall, together with a committee to be appointed for that purpose, vest it, by direction of the Society, in landed property, buildings, stock, bank shares or specialties, or lend it out at interest, in the name of the GERMAN FRIENDLY SOCIETY, to such person or persons, body or bodies politic, as shall, together

Regel 10.

Der Theil des Capitals der Gesellschaft, bisher Stock genannt, soll aus folgenden Quellen gehoben werden: Section 1. „Stock", wie erhoben.

1. Von dem Eintrittsgeld der Mitglieder.
2. Von den Beiträgen der Mitglieder, welche auf zehn Dollars per Jahr festgestellt, aber vierteljährlich oder jährlich bezahlt werden müssen.
3. Von der Einnahme der Miethe verschiedener Grundstücke und Gebäude.
4. Von Strafen, welche den Mitgliedern nach den Gesetzen auferlegt wurden.
5. Von solchen Schenkungen, Legaten und Vermächtnissen, als der Gesellschaft gemacht werden mögen.

Der „Stock" der Gesellschaft, welcher durch obige Mittel und Wege erhöht und verbessert wurde, soll aus Grund- oder persönlichem Eigenthum bestehen, aus Bank-Actien, öffentlichen Sicherheiten und "Choses in action" von allen Sorten; das Einkommen oder Interessen allein, welche davon eingehen mögen, können zu mildthätigen Zwecken verwandt werden. Section 2. Woraus er bestehen soll.

Sollte das Einkommen der Gesellschaft den Betrag, welcher für mildthätige oder anderweitige Zwecke benutzt wird, übersteigen, so soll dieser Ueberschuß zur Vergrößerung des Capitals verwendet werden. Section 3. Ueberschuß zur Vergrößerung des Capitals.

Wenn der Schatzmeister eine gewisse Summe Geld in Händen hat, soll er, im Verein mit einem Committee, für diesen Zweck ernannt, dasselbe, nach Direction der Gesellschaft, in Land-Eigenthum, Gebäuden, Actien, Bank-Actien, oder Besonderheiten anlegen, oder es auf Zinsen im Namen der "German Friendly Society" an solche Person oder Personen, oder politische Körperschaften ausleihen, Und wie.

No money to be loaned to a member.

with the securities, be approved of by the Society; but no money belonging to the Society shall be loaned to a member, nor shall any member be security for a borrower of the same.

RULE XI.

SECT. 1. Penalty on Officers being tardy or absent.

Should any officer or Steward not be present at the opening of the meeting, he shall pay a fine of twenty-five cents, and if he be absent altogether, he shall pay a fine of fifty cents, unless he excuse himself under the twenty-first Rule.

SECT. 2. Penalty on Officers leaving the Society.

Any Officer or Steward, who departs from a meeting without the sanction of the same, shall be considered as having been absent altogether, and fined accordingly, unless remitted by the first meeting at which he afterwards appears.

SECT. 3. Fine on Secretary and Treasurer for not performing duties under resolutions.

The Treasurer and Secretary shall pay a fine not exceeding five dollars, at the discretion of the Society, for the non-performance of any official duty not otherwise provided for in the Rules, or which may be required by any resolution not inconsistent with the Rules.

RULE XII.

SECT. 1. Arrears to be paid.

At every Annual Meeting of the Society, each member, whether present or absent, shall pay up whatever arrears may be due by him for the past year at the rate of Ten Dollars per annum. If from any cause whatever, the arrears of a member be not paid at the Annual Meeting, his name and the amount due by him, shall be read out by the Secretary at the three successive

als sammt ihren Sicherheiten von der Gesellschaft gebilligt wird; aber kein Geld, welches der Gesellschaft gehört, soll an ein Mitglied geliehen werden, noch soll irgend ein Mitglied, für denjenigen, der zu borgen wünscht, Sicherheit geben.

Regel 11.

Sollte ein Beamter oder Verwalter nicht gegenwärtig sein, wenn die Versammlung eröffnet wird, so soll er eine Strafe von fünf und zwanzig Cents bezahlen, und wenn er gar nicht kömmt, soll er eine Strafe von fünfzig Cents bezahlen, ausgenommen er macht seine Entschuldigung unter der ein und zwanzigsten Regel. Section 1. Strafen für Beamte, die zu spät oder gar nicht kommen.

Irgend ein Beamter oder Verwalter, der ohne Erlaubniß die Versammlung verläßt, wird als nicht dagewesen betrachtet und darnach bestraft, ausgenommen die Strafe wird in der nächsten Versammlung, wo er erscheint, erlassen. Section 2. Strafen für Beamte, welche die Gesellschaft verlassen.

Der Schatzmeister und Secretär sollen Strafen, die fünf Dollars nicht übersteigen, für Unterlassung irgend einer officiellen Pflicht, welche in den Regeln angegeben, oder welche durch irgend einen Beschluß in Uebereinstimmung mit den Regeln, verlangt werden, nach Belieben der Gesellschaft, bezahlen. Section 3. Strafen für Secretär u. Schatzmeister für Unterlassung von Pflichten unter Resolution.

Regel 12.

In jeder Jahresversammlung der Gesellschaft soll jedes Mitglied, anwesend oder nicht, seine sämmtlichen Beiträge, die er während des letzten Jahres schuldig geblieben, nach dem Verhältniß von zehn Dollars per Annum, bezahlen. Wenn aus irgend einem Grunde der Beitrag eines Mitgliedes nicht in der jährlichen Versammlung bezahlt wurde, dann soll sein Name und der Betrag, den er schuldet, von dem Secretär in den drei folgenden Versammlungen nach der besagten Jahres-Ver- Section 1. Beiträge zu bezahlen.

meetings after said Annual Meeting, and if they be not paid on or before the adjournment of the three successive meetings, he shall be excluded as a member.

The Secretary shall give notice to all such members who are in arrears after the second reading, when the third reading will take place.

SECT. 2. Anniversary Dinner.

At every Annual Meeting, the Society shall dine together free of cost, and the expense of said dinner shall be defrayed from the income.

RULE XIII.

SECT. 1. Committee on Charity.

A Committee on Charity, to consist of seven members, shall be appointed at every Anniversary Meeting. They shall keep a regular Journal of their proceedings, and submit the same to the Society at the meeting previous to the Annual Meeting, and whenever otherwise required; to which shall be added an account of the monies received by them, and in what manner bestowed. This account shall be signed by the Chairman, and referred for examination to the Committee on Accounts, at the time of examination of the Secretary and Treasurer's books.

SECT. 2. Mode of application for Charity.

If any person, entitled to relief from the Society, should desire such relief, he or she, or, in the case of minors, the parent or person having the care of such minor, must apply by petition, which may be delivered at any meeting, and the same shall be referred to the Committee on Charity, to inquire into the situation of the person who applies, or for whom the application is made, and to report thereon at the ensuing

sammlung vorgelesen, und wenn dieselben nicht an oder vor der Vertagung der dritten Versammlung bezahlt werden, soll er als Mitglied ausgeschlossen werden.

Der Secretär soll allen solchen Mitgliedern, welche Beiträge schulden, nach der zweiten Verlesung, Notiz geben, wenn die dritte Verlesung stattfinden wird. In jeder Jahres-Versammlung soll die Gesellschaft ohne Kosten zusammen essen; und sollen die Auslagen für das besagte Essen aus dem Einkommen bestritten werden. Section 2. Festessen am Jahrestag.

Regel 13.

Ein Wohlthätigkeits-Committe, bestehend aus sieben Mitgliedern, soll in jeder Jahresversammlung ernannt werden. Dieselben sollen ein regelmäßiges Journal über ihre Verhandlungen führen, und dasselbe in der Versammlung, welche der Jahres-Versammlung vorangeht, oder wenn immer es verlangt wird, der Gesellschaft vorlegen; wozu eine Abrechnung über die Gelder, welche sie empfangen, und auf welche Weise sie benutzt worden, hinzugefügt werden soll. Diese Abrechnung soll von dem Vorsitzer unterzeichnet und dem Finanz-Committee zur Zeit der Examination der Bücher des Secretärs und des Schatzmeisters, zur Untersuchung vorgelegt werden. Section 1. Wohlthätigkeits-Committee.

Sollte irgend eine Person, die zur Unterstützung der Gesellschaft berechtigt ist, solche Unterstützung verlangen, dann muß er oder sie, oder im Fall von Minderjährigen, die Eltern oder Personen, welche die Aufsicht über solche Minderjährige haben, eine Petition einreichen, welche in irgend einer Versammlung vorgelegt werden kann, und soll dieselbe dann dem Wohlthätigkeits-Committee übergeben werden, welches sich nach den Verhältnissen der Person erkundigt, die Unterstützung verlangt, und darüber in Section 2. Art und Weise der Application für Unterstützung.

meeting. If the applicant's situation requires immediate relief, the Committee on Charity shall, without delay, make the proper inquiry, and, if the case be of great urgency, they shall give such temporary relief as they shall think indispensable, and report their proceedings to the Society, at the next meeting thereof.

SECT. 3. Objects of Charity.

The following persons alone shall be entitled to relief from the Society:

The sick.

1. Any member of the Society requiring assistance in consequence of *sickness* or *personal injury*, the Committee on Charity, in such case, shall furnish such temporary aid as the nature of such sickness or personal injury shall require, and report their proceedings to the next meeting of the Society, who shall give such further directions as the nature of the case may demand.

Under what circumstances charity may be given to members who resigned or were excluded.

2. If any member, who resigned, or was excluded, shall, within three months thereafter, inform the Society by letter, of his inability to discharge his arrears, and pay any further contributions, his case shall be referred to the Committee on Charity, and they shall report thereon without delay; and the Society shall, at the annual or quarterly meeting, as the case may be, that first ensues, take his case into consideration; and if three-fourths of the members present are satisfied of his inability to discharge his arrears, and continue the payment of any contributions, he shall be re-instated as an *indigent member*, and be entitled to relief, on making application under the thirteenth Rule; he, however, shall not have a voice or vote in

der nächsten Versammlung Bericht erstattet. Sollten die Verhältnisse des Applicanten so sein, daß er augenblicklicher Unterstützung bedarf, dann soll das Wohlthätigkeits-Committee, ohne Zögern, die nöthigen Erkundigungen einziehen, und, wenn der Fall sehr dringend ist, solche vorläufige Unterstützung gewähren, als ihm nothwendig erscheint, und berichten der Gesellschaft sein Verfahren in der nächsten Versammlung.

Section 3. Wer zur Unterstützung berechtigt ist. Die Kranken

Bloß die folgenden Personen sollen zur Unterstützung von der Gesellschaft berechtigt sein:

1. Irgend ein Mitglied der Gesellschaft, welches in Folge von Krankheit oder persönlichen Leiden Unterstützung verlangt: In solchem Fall soll das Wohlthätigkeits-Committee solche temporäre Unterstützung gewähren, als die Krankheit oder die persönlichen Leiden es verlangen, und berichten sein Verfahren in der nächsten Versammlung der Gesellschaft, welche solche weitere Directionen geben soll, als die Natur des Falles verlangen mag.

Unter welchen Umständen Mitglieder, welche resignirten oder ausgestoßen wurden, Unterstützung erhalten können.

2. Wenn irgend ein Mitglied, welches resignirte, oder ausgestoßen wurde, innerhalb drei Monate die Gesellschaft von seiner Unfähigkeit, seine Beiträge, oder weitere Contributionen bezahlen zu können, brieflich benachrichtigt, soll sein Fall dem Wohlthätigkeits-Committee vorgelegt werden, welches, ohne Aufenthalt, darüber Bericht erstatten soll, und soll die Gesellschaft in der jährlichen oder vierteljährlichen Versammlung seinen Fall in Erwägung ziehen, und wenn drei-viertel der anwesenden Mitglieder von seiner Unfähigkeit, seine schuldigen Beiträge zu entrichten und weitere Contributionen zu bezahlen, überzeugt sind, soll er als dürftiges Mitglied wieder aufgenommen werden und zur Unterstützung berechtigt sein, wenn er dieserhalb Applicationen nach Regel 13 einreicht; er soll aber,

any proceedings of the Society, so long as he is an object of its bounty.

A widow of a deceased member for seven years

3. Any widow, whose only, or last husband had been a member for *seven years*, and was a member at the time of his death; she shall receive such a sum, and for such a time, as the Society shall think proper.

Children of a deceased member for seven years

4. Any child or children of a deceased member, who had been such for *seven years*, and was a member at the time of his death, or of an indigent member under this Rule; such child or children shall be sent to such school, as the Committee on Charity shall select, and, if necessary, be furnished with decent clothes, until a certain age; that is to say, until the age of fourteen years, and to the age of sixteen years, if deemed necessary by said Committee.

To be sent to school and clothed if necessary

Parents of children to bind themselves to submit to the directions of Committee on Charity.

Whenever a child is to be educated at the expense of the Society, the parent or person having care of such child, shall previously enter into a written agreement with the Committee on Charity, obligating herself, or himself, to submit to all directions of the said Committee.

The Committee on Charity to see proper care taken of children on bounty.

The Committee on Charity shall inquire into the conduct of such child or children, as is, or are educating on the bounty of the Society, and carefully ascertain whether the schoolmaster or schoolmistress, with whom such child or children may be placed, pays proper attention to the health, comfort, learning or morals of such child or children.

5. An adult, *under twenty-one years of age*, whose father had been a member for seven

so lange er Unterstützung empfängt, keine Stimme in den Verhandlungen der Gesellschaft haben.

3. Jede Wittwe, deren Mann sieben Jahre und zur Zeit seines Todes Mitglied war, soll eine solche Summe und für eine Zeit, wie von der Gesellschaft bestimmt, erhalten.

Die Wittwe eines verstorbenen Mitgliedes für 7 Jahre.

4. Kinder eines Verstorbenen, welcher sieben Jahre und zur Zeit seines Todes, oder nach diesen Gesetzen als bedürftiges Mitglied betrachtet wurde, sollen auf Bestimmung des Wohlthätigkeits-Committees nach einer Schule geschickt werden; ferner soll das Committee, wenn es dies für nothwendig befindet, berechtigt sein, solche Kinder bis zum vierzehnten Jahre mit anständigen Kleidern zu versorgen.

Kinder eines verstorbenen Mitgliedes für 7 Jahr.

Zur Schule geschickt und bekleidet, wenn nöthig

Wenn ein Kind auf Unkosten der Gesellschaft zur Schule geschickt wird, sollen die Eltern oder Personen, welche solches Kind unter Aufsicht haben, vorher einen schriftlichen Contract mit dem Wohlthätigkeits-Committee machen, worin sie sich verbinden, mit allen Anordnungen des besagten Committees zufrieden zu sein.

Eltern von Kindern sollen sich verpflichten, mit den Anordnungen des Wohlthätigkeits-Comite zufrieden zu sein.

Das Wohlthätigkeits-Committee soll sich stets nach dem Betragen der Kinder, welche auf Unkosten der Gesellschaft zur Schule geschickt werden, erkundigen, und sich sorgfältig überzeugen, ob der Lehrer oder die Lehrerin, denen das Kind übergeben ist, die nothwendige Aufmerksamkeit auf Gesundheit, Bequemlichkeit, Lernen oder die Moral der Kinder verwendet.

Das Wohlthätigkeits-Committee soll darauf achten, daß die Kinder gut versorgt werden.

5. Ebenfalls ein Erwachsener, doch unter ein und zwanzig Jahre alt, dessen Vater, als er starb, sieben

Adults, under 21, whose fathers were members for seven years.

years, and was such when he died, or if alive is an indigent member, under this Rule, such adult appearing to the satisfaction of the Society, from a report from the Committee on Charity, to labor under such bodily or mental infirmity, as disables him or her from gaining a livelihood.

Members who die before seven years, or were excluded or resigned, through indigence. How their arrears may be paid.

6. In case of the death of a member before he had been such for seven years, or, in case of the death of a member who was excluded, or resigned under indigent circumstances, pursuant to this Rule, before he had been such for seven years; if any person continue to pay his arrears until he would have been a member for seven years, at the several periods, and under the same penalty which such member would have been liable to pay his arrears, until he would have been a member for seven years, if he had not died, or been excluded, or resigned, then his widow, or child, or children shall be entitled to relief.

SECT. 4. Committee on Charity to inquire into situations of persons on the bounty and report.

The Committee on Charity shall inquire into the situation of persons on the bounty of the Society, and report thereon, for the information of the members, at the first meeting after every Anniversary, when a list shall be exhibited and read, of persons who received charity in the course of the preceding year, together with the amount received by them individually; and a majority of the members present may renew the same, or make such alterations as they may think proper.

Charity, when and how to be allotted.

SECT. 5. When members, who die in indigent cir-

If any member of the Society should die in such indigent circumstances, that he cannot be decently interred, from the means of his own

Jahre Mitglied war, oder wenn noch am Leben, nach diesen Gesetzen als bedürftiges Mitglied betrachtet wurde; doch muß dessen Unfähigkeit, sein Brod zu verdienen, auf Ueberzeugung des Wohlthätigkeits-Committees beruht sein.

Erwachsene unter 21, deren Väter 7 Jahre Mitglieder waren.

6. Im Fall ein Mitglied stirbt, ehe es sieben Jahre zur Gesellschaft gehörte, oder im Fall ein solches ausgestoßen wurde, oder nach diesen Gesetzen unter bedürftigen Umständen resignirte, so kann irgend Jemand dessen rückständigen Beiträge nebst Strafen, wozu solche Mitglieder während der verschiedenen Termine verpflichtet sind, bis zu dem bestimmten siebenten Jahre bezahlen, und dessen Wittwe und Kinder sollen dann auf alle Rechte für Unterstützung Anspruch haben.

Mitglieder, welche sterben, ehe sie es 7 Jahre waren, oder ausgestoßen wurden, oder aus Armuth resignirten, — wie ihre Beiträge bezahlt werden mögen.

Das Wohlthätigkeits-Committee soll sich nach den Verhältnissen aller Derjenigen erkundigen, die Unterstützung von der Gesellschaft erhalten und dieses, zur Information der Gesellschaft, in der ersten Versammlung nach jeder Jahres-Versammlung berichten, wenn ebenfalls eine Liste Derjenigen, die während des verflossenen Jahres Unterstützung erhielten, verlesen werden soll, sowie der Betrag, den jeder Einzelne erhielt, und mag eine Mehrzahl der anwesenden Mitglieder dasselbe erneuern, oder solche Veränderungen machen, als ihnen gut dünkt.

Section 4. Wohlthätigkeits-Comite sich nach den Verhältnissen der Personen erkundigen, die Unterstützung bekommen, und berichten. Wann und wie Unterstützung gegeben werden soll.

Wenn irgend ein Mitglied der Gesellschaft in bedürftigen Umständen sterben sollte und nicht anständig von seinen eigenen Mitteln beerdigt werden kann, so soll das Wohlthätigkeits-Committee, auf

Section 5. Wenn Mitglieder in bedürftigen Umständen sterben, kön-

cumstances, may be buried at the expense of the Society.

estate, the Committee on Charity shall, if application be made to them, have power to order the most necessary articles for his funeral, and the same shall be paid for by the Society.

RULE XIV.

SECT. 1. Committee on Inspection.

A Committee on Inspection, to consist of five members, shall be appointed at every Anniversary, who shall superintend the state of the Society's lots and buildings, give the necessary directions for keeping the premises in proper condition, and report thereon, to the Society, from time to time.

SECT. 2. Applications for the use of the Building how to be disposed of.

Application for the use of the Society's lots and buildings, or any part thereof, must be presented to the Committee on Inspection, with power to act and report the same to the Society at the first meeting thereafter, when the Society shall either confirm or object to their action.

SECT. 3. Housekeeper's duties.

A person shall be engaged annually, by the Committee on Inspection, to whom a stipulated compensation shall be given every quarter, whose duty it shall be to take charge of the Society's Hall and Furniture ; to open in due time, on every Wednesday evening, the rooms occupied by the Society, and on every day when a Committee intends to meet, notice whereof shall be given to him by the Secretary or left at his residence; to place on the table water for the use of the members; to have fire made, in the winter, before every meeting of the Society or a committee, and to see the same carefully extinguished after the close of such meeting; to

der Verwandten Application, das Recht haben, die nothwendigsten Sachen zu seinem Begräbnisse zu beordern, und sollen die Kosten von der Gesellschaft bezahlt werden.

nen sie auf Kosten der Gesellschaft begraben werden.

Regel 14.

Ein Bau-Committee, aus fünf Mitgliedern bestehend, soll in jeder Jahres-Versammlung ernannt werden, dessen Pflicht es ist, die Grundstücke und Gebäude zu besichtigen, die nöthigen Befehle zu ertheilen, die Baulichkeiten in gehöriger Ordnung zu erhalten und darüber von Zeit zu Zeit der Gesellschaft zu berichten.

Section 1. Baucomite.

Applicationen für den Gebrauch der Grundstücke oder Gebäude der Gesellschaft, oder einen Theil derselben, müssen dem Bau-Committee vorgelegt werden, welches Macht hat, zu handeln und in der nächsten Versammlung an die Gesellschaft seine Handlungen zur Genehmigung berichten muß.

Section 2. Applicationen für den Gebrauch der Gebäude und wie erledigt.

Aus dem Bau-Committee soll jährlich ein Mann ernannt werden, an den eine stipulirte Summe jedes Vierteljahr ausbezahlt wird, und dessen Pflicht es sein soll, die Halle und Möbeln der Gesellschaft in Obacht zu nehmen; die Zimmer, welche von der Gesellschaft benutzt werden, zur rechten Zeit an jedem Mittwoch Abend zu öffnen, und an jedem Tag, wenn ein Committee sich versammeln will, davon soll der Secretär ihm Notiz geben. Er soll Wasser für den Gebrauch der Mitglieder auf den Tisch stellen, im Winter vor dem Beginn einer jeden Versammlung der Gesellschaft oder eines Committees Feuer machen und darauf sehen, daß dasselbe nach Schluß der Versammlung sorgfältig ausgelöscht wird; die

Section 3. Pflichten des Haushalters

shut the windows, shutters and doors, as soon as the members have all departed; to have the Hall and stair-cases scoured, the Saturday preceding the Annual and Quarterly Meetings throughout the year, and the window-glass washed and cleaned the first week in January and July; to have all the brasses and furniture attached to the chimney-place constantly clean, as well as the furniture belonging to the room, chandeliers excepted, the cleaning of which shall be directed by the Society, whenever they think it necessary, and require the Committee on Inspection to appoint such person to do it as they may think proper. On every Thursday morning he shall clean, and put away in their proper places, all furniture and articles used by the Society, at their meeting on the previous evening. He shall likewise clean and put away in their proper places, all furniture and articles used by any Committee, within twenty-four hours after their meeting; likewise, he shall clean and put away as aforesaid, all furniture and articles used by any meeting to whom the use of the Hall may be hired, unless in this latter case, the Chairman of the Committee on Inspection grant him further reasonable time. He shall not give the keys of any room to any person or persons whomsoever, unless the Society give particular permission, or unless by written order from a majority at least of the Committee on Inspection, or unless required by either of the officers; he shall see the said keys duly returned, and guard watchfully against accidents from fire,

Fenster und Thüren zuschließen, sobald sich alle Mitglieder entfernt haben; die Halle und Treppen an jedem Sonnabend vor den jährlichen und vierteljährlichen Versammlungen während des Jahres scheuern und das Fensterglas in der ersten Woche im Januar und Juli waschen und reinigen; ferner das Messing und die Möbeln am Kamin beständig rein halten, ebenso auch die Möbeln des Zimmers, mit Ausnahme des Kronleuchters, welcher auf Direction der Gesellschaft gereinigt werden soll, und soll das Bau-Committee dieses thun lassen. An jedem Donnerstag Morgen soll er alle Möbeln und Sachen, die von der Gesellschaft am vorhergehenden Abend benutzt wurden, reinigen, und an ihren gehörigen Platz stellen. Er soll ebenfalls alle Möbeln und Sachen, die von einem Committee gebraucht wurden, innerhalb vier und zwanzig Stunden nach seiner Versammlung reinigen; gleichfalls soll er alle Möbeln und Sachen, welche von irgend einer Versammlung benutzt wurden, welche die Halle gemiethet hatte, reinigen und wegstellen, ausgenommen im letzteren Fall, der Vorsitzer des Bau-Committees erlaubt eine längere Frist dazu. Er soll die Schlüssel an Niemand zur Verwahrung abgeben, ausgenommen die Gesellschaft giebt besondere Erlaubniß dazu, oder ausgenommen auf eine schriftliche Order, welche wenigstens von einer Mehrzahl des Bau-Committees unterschrieben sein muß, oder wenn es von irgend einem der Beamten verlangt wird; er soll darauf sehen, daß die Schlüssel wieder richtig abgeliefert werden, gegen Feuersgefahr aufmerksam wachen und alle solche Pflichten verrichten, die in Bezug auf das Zimmer und die Möbeln von dem Bau-Committee verlangt werden.

and perform and attend to all such business concerning the room and furniture, as shall be required by the Committee on Inspection.

SECT. 4. All the duties to be executed in what manner.

All the duties required by this Rule shall be executed by the *Housekeeper in person, or by some male, and none other, under any pretence whatever;* and for every omission of duty enjoined by this Rule, the Housekeeper shall be fined one dollar, to be decided by the Committee on Inspection alone. Before he enter upon the duties of his office, he shall enter into a written agreement with the Chairman of the Committee on Inspection, faithfully and rigidly to perform the duties assigned to him by this Rule, according to the true intent and meaning thereof.

Fine.

RULE XV.

In what manner an excluded member may be re-admitted.

A member excluded from the Society for non-payment of arrears shall not, under any pretence whatever, be re-admitted, unless he shall, within three months after his expulsion, apply by letter for re-admission, which letter shall be read at one meeting, and the applicant ballotted for at the next meeting, and if he receive *three-fourths of the ballots*, and pay up a sum including the night of his re-admission, equal to what he would have paid had he not been excluded, he shall be re-instated as a member of this Society, in as full and ample a manner as if he had never been excluded.

Alle Pflichten, welche in diesen Regeln verlangt werden, sollen von dem Haushalter persönlich, oder von einem Manne, und von Niemand anders, unter irgend einem Vorwande verrichtet werden; und für jede Unterlassung einer Pflicht, welche in diesen Regeln vorgeschrieben ist, soll der Haushalter einen Dollar Strafe zahlen, welches allein von dem Bau-Committee entschieden wird. Ehe er die Pflichten seines Amtes übernimmt, soll er einen schriftlichen Contract mit dem Vorsitzer des Bau-Committees machen, worin er sich verpflichtet, die Pflichten, welche ihm in diesen Regeln vorgeschrieben sind, treu nach ihrem wahren Inhalt und Meinung zu verrichten.

Section 4. Auf welche Weise die Pflichten verrichtet werden sollen.

Strafen.

Regel 15.

Ein Mitglied, welches von der Gesellschaft für Nichtbezahlung der Beiträge ausgestoßen wird, soll unter keinem Vorwand wieder aufgenommen werden, ausgenommen er macht eine briefliche Application, innerhalb drei Monate nachher, welcher Brief in einer Versammlung verlesen, und in der nächsten Versammlung darüber ballotirt werden soll, und wenn er dreiviertel der Stimmen erhält, und eine Summe bezahlt, bis zum Abend seiner Wiederaufnahme mit eingeschlossen, gleich der, welche er bezahlt haben würde, wäre er nicht ausgestoßen worden, soll er als Mitglied der Gesellschaft wieder aufgenommen werden, in vollständiger und genügender Weise, als ob er nie ausgestoßen sei.

Auf welche Weise ein ausgestoßnes Mitglied wieder aufgenommen werden kann

RULE XVI.

SECT. 1. Resignation, on what conditions a member may resign.

Any member wishing to resign, shall notify the Society thereof by letter, and he shall be permitted to do so upon the payment of his arrears in full.

SECT. 2. Resignation In what manner a member may be re-admitted.

Any member who has resigned, being desirous of again joining the Society, he shall apply by letter, which letter shall be read at one meeting, and, at the next, it shall be again read, and the applicant ballotted for, and if he receive three-fourths of the ballots, and pay a sum, including the night of his re-admission, equal to what he would have paid had he not resigned, he shall be reinstated, as a member of the Society, in as full and ample a manner as if he had never resigned.

SECT. 3. Other terms

Any member who had resigned, wishing again to join the Society, and not to avail himself of the provisions of the preceding section, must come in upon the same terms and conditions as if he had never been a member.

RULE XVII.

SECT. 1. Funeral of a deceased member.

Whenever a deceased member is to be interred in Charleston, the Secretary, under direction of the presiding Officer, shall invite the members through one or more of the public prints to attend his funeral.

RULE XVIII.

SECT. 1. Committee on accounts

At the Anniversary Meeting, a *Committee on Accounts*, to consist of five members, shall be appointed, who shall perform such duties as are

Regel 16.

Irgend ein Mitglied, welches auszutreten wünscht, soll die Gesellschaft brieflich davon benachrichtigen, und wenn seine Beiträge vollständig bezahlt sind, soll ihm dieses erlaubt sein. Section 1. Resignation.

Irgend ein Mitglied, welches resignirt hat, und der Gesellschaft wieder beizutreten wünscht, soll sich brieflich melden, welcher Brief in einer Versammlung verlesen werden soll, und, in der nächsten Versammlung abermals verlesen, und für den Applicanten ballotirt werden soll, und wenn er drei viertel der Stimmen erhält, und eine Summe bezahlt, mit Einschluß des Abends seiner Wiederaufnahme, gleich der, welche er bezahlt haben würde, wenn er nicht resignirt hätte, soll er wieder als Mitglied dieser Gesellschaft in vollständiger und genügender Weise aufgenommen werden. Section 2. Auf welche Weise ein Mitglied wieder aufgenommen werden kann.

Irgend ein Mitglied, welches resignirte und der Gesellschaft wieder beizutreten wünscht, und sich nicht die Bedingungen der vorhergehenden Section zu Nutz machen will, muß unter solchem Entschluß wieder Application machen, als wäre er nie Mitglied gewesen. Section 3. Andere Bedingungen.

Regel 17.

Wenn ein Mitglied dieser Gesellschaft stirbt und in Charleston begraben wird, so soll der Secretär, unter Direction des Präsidenten, die Mitglieder durch Notiz in ein oder zwei Zeitungen zum Begräbniß desselben einladen. Section 1. Begräbniß eines verstorbenen Mitgliedes.

Regel 18.

In der Jahres-Versammlung soll ein Finanz-Committee, aus fünf Mitgliedern bestehend, ernannt werden, welches alle Pflichten, wie in den Gesetzen Section 1. Rechnungs-Committee

assigned to them in the Rules, and shall examine all accounts referred to them by the Society.

SECT. 2. Committee on supplies.

At the same time, a *Committee on Supplies*, to consist of five members, of which the *Junior Warden shall be Chairman*, shall be appointed, who shall execute the directions of the Society in providing the annual entertainments, and shall procure liquors and other articles requisite at the meetings of the Society.

RULE XIX.

School fund, the income, how appropriated.

All bonds, stocks, specialties, choses in action, of every kind, formerly held as a School Fund, shall now be vested in the General Fund or Stock of the Society, the interest therefrom to be appropriated in the same manner as the income now belonging to the said Stock Account of the Society.

RULE XX.

SECT. 1. Relief Rule.

All the monies, bonds and stock, and the income thereof, now held by the Society, and known as the *Relief Fund*, and all the monies, bonds, stock, donations, gifts and legacies that they may hereafter receive, for and on account of the said relief fund, shall constitute a fund for the relief of "*distressed transient Germans*," and who have not been domiciled in any part of the United States, and others as the Society may direct.

SECT. 2. What persons entitled to Relief.

The income alone, arising from said fund, or so much thereof as the Society, from time to time, may devote, shall be appropriated to the

vorgeschrieben, und alle Rechnungen, die ihnen von der Gesellschaft vorgelegt werden, untersuchen soll.

Ferner soll ein Vorraths-Committee, auch aus fünf Mitgliedern bestehend, ernannt werden, wovon der Junior-Warden Vorsitzer sein soll, welches alle Anordnungen der Gesellschaft in Betreff des jährlichen Festessens ausführen und solche Getränke und Artikel anschaffen soll, wie in den Versammlungen der Gesellschaft gebraucht werden. Section 2. Vorraths-Committee.

Regel 19.

Alle Bonds, Aktien und Sicherheiten jeder Art, welche früher zum Schul-Fond gehörten, sollen jetzt zum Haupt-Fond der Gesellschaft übertragen werden, und die Einkünfte davon sollen ähnlich wie die vom Stock-Fond verwendet werden. Schulfond, das Einkommen, wie benutzt.

Regel 20.

Alle Gelder, Bonds und Aktien, und die Einkünfte davon, welche der Gesellschaft unter dem Namen Relief Fund zugehören, gleichfalls alle Gelder, Aktien, Gaben und Vermächtnisse, welche in Zukunft der Gesellschaft zu diesem Fond gegeben oder vermacht werden, sollen als ein Fond bestehen für die Unterstützung armer fremder Deutscher, welche noch in keinem andern Theile der Vereinigten Staaten gewohnt haben, und für Andere, wie die Gesellschaft beschließen mag. Section 1. Unterstützungsregel.

Blos das Einkommen, welches von dem besagten Fonds erhoben wird, oder so viel, als die Gesellschaft von Zeit zu Zeit dafür aussetzen mag, soll für fol- Section 2 Welche Personen zur Unterstützung berechtigt sind.

following objects: All *native Germans*, who may hereafter arrive in Charleston, in an indigent and destitute condition, *and are not, and have not been residents of any of the United States of America*, shall be considered objects of relief within the view of this Rule, and may receive such assistance from the fund established for that purpose, and from no other, as the Society may think fit to bestow.

SECT. 3. Mode of application for relief.

Every person coming within the foregoing description, desirous of soliciting aid from the aforesaid fund, shall apply, by letter, to the Society, setting forth the peculiar circumstances of his or her case, whereupon the Society shall refer such application to the Committee on Relief; whose duty it shall be to inquire minutely, rigidly and impartially into the subject; and if it shall appear to them that the representation of such applicant is true, and that he or she comes strictly within the view of this Rule, they shall so report to the Society, at the next meeting, who may grant such relief as the exigencies of his or her case may require, and the state of the funds warrant. Should the applicant, upon an investigation made by said Committee, be in so deplorable a condition as imperiously to desire immediate relief, the Chairman thereof may draw upon the Treasurer, for his or her use, for a sum not exceeding *Five Dollars*, which they shall state to the Society, at the next meeting thereafter. But should it so happen that the applicant's exigencies admit of no delay, he or she may apply, by letter, to the presiding officer

Duty of the Committee on relief.

gende Zwecke benutzt werden: Alle geborene Deutsche, welche in armen und hülflosen Umständen in Charleston ankommen, und nicht Einwohner eines der Vereinigten Staaten von Amerika sind, sollen in Hinsicht dieser Regel zur Unterstützung berechtigt sein, und mögen solche Hülfe, als die Gesellschaft für gut befinden mag, von dem Fond, der für diesen Zweck etablirt wurde, erhalten.

Section 3. Art und Weise der Application für Unterstützung

Jede Person, welche unter die vorhergehende Benahmung kommt, und von dem obigen Fond Unterstützung verlangt, soll sich brieflich an die Gesellschaft wenden und die eigenthümlichen Verhältnisse seines oder ihres Falles beschreiben, worauf die Gesellschaft solche Application dem Unterstützungs-Committee überweisen soll, um sich genau und unparteiisch über die Sache zu erkundigen; und wenn es ihnen scheint, daß die Vorstellung eines solchen Applicanten wahr ist, und daß er oder sie genau unter diese Regel kommen, sollen sie dieses der Gesellschaft in der nächsten Versammlung berichten, welche solche Unterstützung geben mag, wie es die Umstände des Falles verlangen, und der Zustand der Kasse erlaubt. Sollte der Applicant, auf Untersuchung des besagten Committes, in solchen traurigen Umständen sein, daß er augenblicklicher Hülfe bedarf, dann kann der Vorsitzer für solche Zwecke eine Summe, welche fünf Dollars nicht übersteigt, von dem Schatzmeister erheben, welches er der Gesellschaft in der nächstfolgenden Versammlung zu berichten hat. Aber wenn es passiren sollte, daß die Bedürfnisse des Applicanten keinen Aufschub ertragen, kann Er oder Sie sich brieflich an den vorsitzenden Beamten der Gesellschaft wenden, die Ihn oder Sie an das besagte Committee hinweisen soll, und wenn das besagte Committee sich überzeugt, daß der Zustand eines

Pflicht des Unterstützungs-Committee.

of the Society, who shall refer him or her to the said Committee; and if the said Committee shall conceive that the condition of such applicant is so deplorable as to admit of no delay in the relief of it, the Chairman thereof may draw upon the Treasurer in behalf of such applicant, for a *sum not exceeding Five Dollars;* which they shall report to the Society at the next meeting.

Applicants who come not strictly under this Rule.

If at any time applications may be made to the Society for the relief of such indigent Germans, or their families, who may not come strictly under the Rule of Transient Germans, such application shall be referred to the Committee of Relief; and if deemed and recommended by them as worthy objects of Charity, the Society may appropriate such aid as they may deem advisable, but in all appropriations preference shall be given to the first class, and in no case shall more than the annual income be expended.

SECT. 4. Committee on relief, how appointed.

At every Anniversary Meeting, the President shall appoint a Committee of five members, to be called the *Committee on Relief*, whose duty it shall be to carry into effect the provisions of this Rule, and to discharge the duties enjoined by the same. Any member refusing to serve on this Committee, shall pay a fine of *two dollars.*

Penalty for not serving.

RULE XXI.

Excuses for defalcation of duties.

All fines imposed by these Rules, shall be enforced, unless the delinquent member shall offer, as excuse, *sickness of himself, or some of his immediate household, requiring his attention; being*

solchen Applicanten der Art ist und keinen Aufschub erlaubt, so kann der Vorsitzer davon, zum Besten eines solchen Applicanten, eine Summe von fünf Dollars von dem Schatzmeister erheben, welches der Gesellschaft in der nächsten Versammlung berichtet werden muß.

Wenn zu irgend einer Zeit der Gesellschaft Application eingereicht wird, zur Unterstützung solcher bedürftigen Deutschen oder deren Familien, welche nicht genau unter diese Regel als transient Deutsche kommen, so soll solche Application dem Unterstützungs-Committee überwiesen werden, und wenn sie glauben, und von ihnen als würdige Personen zur Unterstützung empfohlen werden, mag die Gesellschaft solche Hülfe gewähren, als ihnen gut dünkt, aber in allen Fällen soll der ersten Klasse der Vorzug gegeben werden, und in keinem Falle soll mehr als das jährliche Einkommen für diesen Zweck verwendet werden. Applicanten, die nicht unter diese Regel kommen.

In jeder Jahres-Versammlung soll der Präsident ein Committee von fünf Mitgliedern ernennen, welche das Unterstützungs-Committee bilden, deren Pflicht es sein soll, die Verordnungen dieser Regel in Ausführung zu bringen, und die Pflichten, welche ihnen auferlegt, auszuführen. Irgend ein Mitglied, welches sich weigert, an diesem Committee zu dienen, zahlt eine Strafe von zwei Dollars. Section 4. Unterstützungs-Committee, wie ernannt. Strafen.

Regel 21.

Alle Strafen, welche durch diese Regel auferlegt werden, müssen als geltend angenommen werden, ausgenommen persönliches Kranksein, Krankheit in der Familie, Gerichtsgeschworener in Sitzung oder Militärpflichten, alle andern Entschuldigungen müssen genau in der Versammlung erklärt werden, und Entschuldigung für Unterlassung von Pflichten

upon the Jury, or on military duty; and all circumstances not embraced in the above, shall be distinctly stated to the meeting, and left for a majority of it to judge of the reasonableness of the excuse.

RULE XXII.

SECT. 1. Debate.

A member having any matter to propose, or wishing to deliver his sentiments on any question before the Society, shall rise and address the presiding officer. No member shall be allowed to speak oftener than twice on the same subject. When two or more members rise together, the presiding officer shall determine who is to proceed. The presiding officer shall judge of all points of order, which shall be conclusive, unless appealed from, to the Society, and by a majority of the meeting reversed.

No member to speak more than twice.

Presiding officer to judge of points of order.

May be appealed from

SECT. 2. Courtesy of members.

At all meetings of the Society, the members present shall observe a decent, peaceable and inoffensive behavior; treat each other with proper decorum and respect; take their seats around the table when required by the Chair; and should any member not faithfully observe the provisions of this clause, he shall, on motion, be subjected, by a majority of the meeting, to the payment of a fine *not exceeding Five Dollars;* and may, by a similar vote, be ordered to retire, and not resume his seat, unless the fine be previously paid.

Penalty for indecorum.

RULE XXIII.

Order of resolutions.

All resolutions offered to the Society, at any meeting, and by them negatived, shall not be

muß die Stimmung der Majorität als die Entscheidung angenommen werden.

Regel 22.

Wünscht irgend ein Mitglied einen Vorschlag oder seine Ansichten über eine Frage der Gesellschaft vorzutragen, so muß Solches aufstehen und den Vorsitzer anreden, aber kein Mitglied soll zweimal über einen und denselben Gegenstand reden. Sollten zwei oder mehrere Mitglieder zum Sprechen aufstehen, so soll der Vorsitzer der Versammlung entscheiden, welcher einzeln das Vorrecht zum Sprechen haben soll.

Section 1. Debatten.

Kein Mitglied soll mehr als zweimal sprechen.

Ferner soll der Vorsitzer in jeder Versammlung über alle Ordnungspunkte entscheiden, und dieses soll als bestimmt betrachtet werden, ausgenommen ein Mitglied appellirt an die Gesellschaft und eine Mehrzahl der Versammlung erklärt verschieden.

Vorsitzende Beamte soll Ordnungsfragen entscheiden.

Mag appellirt werden.

In allen Versammlungen der Gesellschaft sollen die Mitglieder auf Ersuch des Vorsitzers ihren Sitz um den Tisch einnehmen, ein ruhiges Betragen beobachten und sich gegenseitig mit Anstand und Achtung einander entgegenkommen. Irgend ein Mitglied, welches diese Regel nicht ganz genau befolgt, soll auf Beschluß einer Mehrzahl der Versammlung eine Strafe, welche nicht fünf Dollars übersteigt, bezahlen und mag durch ähnliche Abstimmung ausgewiesen und sein Sitz verboten werden, bis seine Strafe entrichtet ist.

Section 2. Höflichkeit der Mitglieder.

Strafe für Unanständigkeit.

Regel 23.

Keine Resolution, welche in irgend einer Versammlung vorgebracht und nicht angenommen wur-

Order der Resolutionen.

revived or taken up; nor shall the subject matter thereof, in any other shape, be taken up at the same meeting at which the proposition to revive is made; but, in all cases, shall be deferred to the next meeting thereafter. All motions to rescind any resolution of the Society shall be deferred to the next meeting.

RULE XXIV.

SECT. 1. Order of revision of Rules.

At any meeting of the Society, a Committee, to consist of not less than *nine members*, may, on motion, be appointed, to prepare an entire new code of Rules, or such alterations or additions to any of the existing Rules as may be deemed necessary; which Committee shall report at a specified time, unless they ask for further time, upon a report of progress; and such reasonable time may be granted to them as the meeting shall think expedient.

SECT. 2. Order of reading reported Rules.

The Rule or Rules reported by any Committee appointed to alter or amend them, shall have *three readings at least, at three different meetings; the first, for information, the second, for discussion,* and, at the *third*, shall be either *confirmed*, or *rejected without debate*, unless at such *second* reading, notice be given by some member in writing, that, on the *third* reading, he intends to move to *strike out, alter or amend* any reported Rule, or part thereof; in which case, the subject of such motion, *alone*, must be discussed.

SECT. 3. Order of adoption of a code of rules, and

On the adoption of a new code of Rules, the question shall be taken on each Rule separately, and, if adopted by a *majority of two-thirds* of the

de, kann zum zweiten Male in derselben Versammlnng vorgelegt werden, weder soll es erlaubt sein, auf irgend eine Weise die Sache weiter zu besprechen, und alle solche Fälle müssen bis zur nächsten Versammlung verschoben werden.

Regel 24.

In irgend einer Versammlung der Gesellschaft kann auf Beschluß ein Committee aus neun Mitgliedern bestehend ernannt werden, um solche neue Regel, Veränderungen und Zusätze zu machen, wie es demselben für nothwendig erscheint. Dieses Committee soll zu einer bestimmten Zeit an die Gesellschaft berichten, ausgenommen weitere Frist wird demselben, nachdem es Fortschritt berichtet hat, bewilligt. Section 1. Order, die Regeln abzuändern.

Solche neue Regel, Veränderungen oder Zusätze, als von dem Committee, welches für diesen Zweck ernannt wurde, berichtet werden, müssen wenigstens in drei verschiedenen Versammlungen vorgelesen werden. Das erste Mal zur Information, das zweite Mal zur Besprechung und das dritte Mal sollen dieselben ohne Debatte entweder angenommen oder zurückgewiesen werden, ausgenommen irgend ein Mitglied giebt in der zweiten Versammlung Notiz, daß er bei der dritten Versammlung bestimmte Regel ausgestrichen, zu ändern oder zu verbessern wünscht, und nur in solchem Fall allein kann bei der dritten Vorlesung über solche bestimmte Gegenstände debattirt werden. Section 2. Order, berichtete Regeln vorzulesen.

Bei der Aufnahme aller neuen Gesetze sollen alle neuen Regeln der Gesellschaft zur Abstimmung separat vorgelegt werden, und wenn eine Majorität von zwei Drittel der anwesenden Mitglieder dafür stimmt, so soll diese Regel, so bald als über alle an- Section 3. Order der Annahme neuer Gesetze und nothwendige Majorität.

necessary majority.

members present, shall form a By-Law of this Society, to operate as soon as the whole is disposed of.

SECT. 4. Majority necessary for the adoption of one or more new Rules.

For the adoption of any new Rule or Rules, or amendments or additions, to any of the existing Rules, a *majority of two-thirds* shall be necessary; and if more than one Rule be under discussion, the question shall be taken upon them separately. Previous to each reading, as above, the members of the Society shall, by public advertisement, in some of the Charleston gazettes, be notified to attend.

Members to be notified previously to each reading.

SECT. 5. Suspension of Rules.

No Rule shall be suspended, unless by unanimous vote of the members of the Society, at any of its meetings.

SECT. 6. Penalty for Chairman of Committee not reporting at proper time

If the Chairman of a Committee appointed by virtue of this or any other Rule, or by order of the Society, do not make his report within or at the limited time, he shall pay a fine of twenty-five cents, unless the meeting grant him further time to report; and if a member of any Committee whatever refuse to act or attend a meeting of the Committee, he shall pay a fine of twenty-five cents, unless he make a satisfactory excuse to the Society.

Penalty for refusing to serve on Committee.

It shall be the duty of the Chairman of every Committee, under the penalty of *One Dollar*, to inform the Society of each member absent from any meeting of his Committee.

RULE XXV.

SECT. 1. Reference to the Society in case of doubts.

If at any time, doubts shall arise respecting the meaning of any Rule, the same may be ad-

dern disponirt ist, als ein Theil der Gesetze dieser Gesellschaft betrachtet werden.

Für die Annahme irgend einer neuen Regel, Verbesserungen oder Zusätze zu irgend einer der bestehenden Regeln soll eine Majorität von zwei Drittel ebenfalls nothwendig sein, und wenn mehr als eine Regel unter Debatte ist, soll die Frage für jede separat gestellt sein. Vor jeder Vorlesung wie oben, sollen die Mitglieder der Gesellschaft durch eine öffentliche Anzeige in einer der Charleston Zeitungen davon benachrichtigt werden.

Section 4. Majorität nothwendig für die Annahme einer oder mehrerer Regeln.

Mitglieder von jeder Verlesung benachrichtet.

Keine Regeln dieser Gesellschaft dürfen in irgend einer Versammlung, ohne daß die allgemeine Zustimmung erlangt wird, suspendirt werden.

Section 5. Aufhebung von Regeln.

Wenn der Vorsitzer eines Committees, nach dieser oder irgend einer andern Regel, oder auf Befehl der Gesellschaft, seinen Bericht nicht innerhalb oder zu der bestimmten Zeit macht, soll er eine Strafe von fünf und zwanzig Cents bezahlen, ausgenommen die Versammlung erlaubt ihm eine längere Frist zu berichten, und wenn ein Mitglied irgend eines Committees sich weigert, zu handeln, oder einer Versammlung des Committees nicht beiwohnt, soll er eine Strafe von fünf und zwanzig Cents bezahlen, ausgenommen er giebt der Gesellschaft eine zufriedenstellende Entschuldigung.

Section 6. Strafe für den Vorsitzer irgend eines Committees, wenn er nicht zur bestimmten Zeit berichtet.

Strafe für ein Committee-Mitglied wegen Weigerung.

Es soll die Pflicht des Vorsitzers jedes Committees sein, unter einem Dollar Strafe, der Gesellschaft jedes Mitglied anzuzeigen, welches von irgend einer Versammlung des Committees abwesend war.

Regel 25.

Section 1. Der Gesellschaft vorgelegt, im Fall ein Zweifel herrscht.

Wenn zu irgend einer Zeit ein Zweifel über die Meinung irgend einer Regel aufsteigt, kann dieselbe durch eine Mehrzahl der in der Versammlung an-

judged and determined by a majority of the members present at any meeting of the Society; but if *five or more members* dissent, and request the construction then given to be submitted to the Society at the next meeting, then the former determination shall not be final and conclusive, unless confirmed by the Society, at the meeting to which the point in question has been referred.

Five members dissenting may appeal to next meeting.

SECT. 2. Questions not embraced in the Rules, postponed.

Any subject or question brought before the Society not expressed in these Rules, shall not be determined at the same meeting.

RULE XXVI.

Duration of the Society.

This Society shall not cease to be as long as there are five members remaining; but should it be reduced to a smaller number than five, then all the monies, bonds, real and personal property belonging to the Society, shall be administered by the remaining member or members, as trustee or trustees, according to the full intent and meaning of the Rules of the Society, until it be re-established by an accession of five or more members, qualified for admission under the Rule; who may be received by the surviving member or members. And if, in the meantime, while there are less than five members remaining, one or more of those should die or depart from the State, then the heirs, executors, administrators or attorneys of him or them so deceased or departed from the State, shall respectively become trustees in his or their stead, until the Society be re-established as aforesaid.

wesenden Mitglieder berichtigt und festgestellt werden; aber wenn fünf oder mehr Mitglieder nicht damit übereinstimmen und verlangen, daß die dann gegebene Construction der Gesellschaft in der nächsten Versammlung vorgelegt wird, dann soll die frühere Bestimmung nicht schließlich und maßgebend sein, ausgenommen sie wird von der Gesellschaft in der Versammlung, wo der in Frage stehende Punkt vorgelegt wird, bestätigt.

Fünf Mitglieder, die nicht einstimmen, mögen an die nächste Versammlung appelliren.

Section 2. Fragen, die nicht in den Regeln angegeben sind, sollen verschoben werden.

Irgend ein Gegenstand oder eine Frage, die nicht in diesen Regeln ausgedrückt ist, und in der Gesellschaft vorgebracht wird, soll nicht an demselben Abend entschieden werden.

Regel 26.

Dauer der Gesellschaft.

Die Gesellschaft soll nicht aufhören zu bestehen, so lange noch fünf Mitglieder da sind; aber sollte sie auf eine kleinere Zahl als fünf reducirt werden, dann sollen alle Gelder, Actien, Grundstücke und Güter, welche der Gesellschaft gehören, von den übrig gebliebenen Mitgliedern als Bevollmächtigte verwaltet werden, in Uebereinstimmung mit der Absicht und Meinung der Regeln der Gesellschaft, bis dieselbe wieder etablirt ist, durch einen Zuwachs von fünf oder mehreren Mitgliedern, qualificirt zum Eintritt unter den Regeln, welche von den übrig gebliebenen Mitgliedern angenommen werden mögen. Und wenn, während der Zeit, daß weniger als fünf Mitglieder übrig bleiben, ein oder mehrere von diesen sterben oder vom Staate fortziehen, dann sollen die Erben, Executoren, Administratoren oder deren Advocaten, welche sterben, oder vom Staate fortzogen, Bevollmächtigte an seiner oder ihrer Statt werden, bis die Gesellschaft, wie oben bemerkt, wieder etablirt ist.

RULE XXVII.

SECT. 1. Life membership.

Any member of the Society, upon the payment of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars, shall become a life member.

SECT. 2. Money to be invested as a separate fund.

All monies received for life membership shall be vested, and kept as a separate *Fund.* The interest arising annually therefrom shall be appropriated by the Society as a portion of their income.

Condition of membership.

All members becoming life members shall be subject to all rules and regulations of the Society, as if they were annually paying members, except the payment of annual arrears.

SECT. 3. A list to be kept by Secretary.

The Secretary shall keep a list of all those members who may become life members, said list always to be ready for the inspection of the members.

RULE XXVIII.

Compact.

For the just and true performance of all the Rules, Articles and Regulations above set forth, we bind ourselves, respectively, by these presents, to observe, support and comply with the same. And the former Rules and Regulations are hereby altered and amended, as herein specified. And we do severally agree, that any Rules hereafter to be made, shall be taken and regarded, when made in conformity with those now adopted, by us, to be of equal force, and as binding upon us to all intents and purposes, as the original Rules.

Regel 27.

Irgend ein Mitglied dieser Gesellschaft ist nach Einzahlung von ein hundert und fünfzig Dollars von allen jährlichen Beiträgen für die Zeit seines Lebens frei. Section 1. Mitglied für Lebenszeit.

Alle Gelder, die auf diese Weise erhoben werden, sollen ausgelegt und einen separaten Fond bilden, und die Einkünfte davon sollen ähnlich wie andere Einkünfte der Gesellschaft verwendet werden. Section 2. Geld angelegt als separater Fond.

Alle Mitglieder dieser Art sind wie andere Mitglieder allen Regeln der Gesellschaft unterworfen, nur sind dieselben von den jährlichen Beiträgen befreit. Bedingung der Mitgliedschaft.

Der Secretär soll eine Liste von allen solchen Mitgliedern zur Uebersicht der Gesellschaft bereit halten. Section 3. Liste vom Secretär zu führen.

Regel 28.

Für die richtige Erfüllung aller oben angeführten Regeln, Artikel und Regulationen, verpflichten wir uns durch Gegenwärtiges, dieselben zu beobachten, aufrecht zu halten und uns darin zu fügen. Und die früheren Regeln und Regulationen sind hierdurch verändert und verbessert, als hierin angegeben. Und wir, jeder Einzelne, verpflichten uns, daß irgend welche Regeln, welche nach diesem, in Uebereinstimmung mit denen, welche jetzt von uns angenommen sind, gemacht werden, in gleiche Kraft und für uns eben so bindend für alle Zwecke sind, als die originalen Regeln. Vertrag.

REGULATIONS FOR THE GOVERNMENT

OF

THE SOCIETY'S LIBRARY,

CONSISTING OF BOOKS PRESENTED BY THE LATE

CLELAND KINLOCH, Esq., and by Dr. PHILIP TIDYMAN.

I.

The Secretary shall have charge of the Library and Cabinet of the Society, and shall always keep a register and correct catalogue of the books and articles of these departments.

II.

Each member of the Society shall have the use of the books belonging to the Library, and may keep them out for the following periods of time, viz:—every folio until the Wednesday succeeding thirty days; every quarto until the Wednesday succeeding twenty days; and every octavo, or lesser grade, until the Wednesday succeeding sixteen days. And every member who does not return the book or books borrowed by him at those periods, shall be fined 12½ cents for each volume, and 12½ cents for each volume on every succeeding Wednesday evening that the same is not returned.

III.

No member shall be allowed the privilege of the Library whilst any fine against him remains unpaid.

IV.

No member shall be allowed to take out of the Library more than one volume at a time, unless it belongs to a set, in which case he may take out three; but the whole must be returned the same as if they were but one.

V.

Should any book be lost by a member, he shall replace the same within one month, or pay fifty per cent. more than its value; and should the book so lost belong to a set, he shall replace the same as above, or pay fifty per cent. more than the value of the set, to be assessed by the Committee—the Society surrendering up to him the remaining volumes or retaining them at their option, and charging the member as above, only for such as may be lost.

VI.

Should any injury arise to the binding or other part of a book whilst in the possession of a member, other than ordinary wear and tear, he shall have the same repaired, or rebound, if the Committee deem it necessary.

VII.

The Secretary shall not be bound to deliver or receive any book borrowed by a member, excepting on Wednesday evening, during the meeting of the Society; and as a compensation for his services, he shall be entitled to all the fines.

VIII.

On every Anniversary a Committee of three members shall be appointed to superintend the Library.

Committee for 1869.—J. F. Ficken, *Chairman*, F. Dauer, A. C. Kaufman.

A LIST OF THE OFFICERS

OF THE

GERMAN FRIENDLY SOCIETY,

FROM ITS ESTABLISHMENT TO THE YEAR 1869.

1766.

Michael Kalteisen, Steward.
Melchior Warley, S. Warden.
John Swint, Junior Warden.
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer.
John Lehre, Clerk.
Christian Duse, } Constabl's
Charles Gruber, }

1767.

——— ———, Steward.
Eberhard Ehney, S. Warden
John Swint, Junior Warden
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer.
Frederick Rossberg, Clerk.
Adam Miller, } Constables.
G.H. Lindauer }

1768.

Michael Kalteisen, Steward.
Paul Smiser, Sr. Warden.
Martin Miller, Jr. Warden.
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer.
Frederick Rossberg, Clerk.
Philip Mintzing } Const'bls.
Jno. Shutterling }

1769.

Michael Kalteisen, Steward.
Philip Mintzing, S. Warden.
Melchior Warley, J. Warden.
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Clerk.
Chris. Sheets, } Constables.
Jos. Kimmel, }

1770.

Michael Kalteisen, Steward.
Melchior Warley, S. Warden.
Paul Smiser, Jun. Warden.
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Clerk.
Gottfried Bohner } Const'bls
Jacob Briegel }

1771.

Michael Kalteisen, Presid't.
Melchior Warley, V. Pres't.
Philip Meyer, Sr. Warden.
Chris. Sigwald J. Warden.
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
G. E. Hahnbaum } Const'bls
Fred. Kreitner }

1772.

Michael Kalteisen, Presid't.
Philip Meyer, Vice-Pres'dt.
Joseph Kimmel, Sr. Warden.
John Swint, Jr. Warden.
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Christian Gruber } Stewards
Lewis Peterman }

1773.

Paul Smiser, President.
Michael Kalteisen, Vice-Prs.
Geo. E. Hahnbaum, S. Ward.
Philip Mintzing, Jr. Ward'n
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Lewis Timmons, } Stewards
John Delcke, }

1774.

Michael Kalteisen, President
Henry Timrod, Vice-Pres't.
Henry Lindauer, Sr. Ward'n
Joseph Kimmel, Jr. Ward'n
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Conrad Shlapfer, } Stewards
John Dittmore, }

1775.

Alexander Gillon, President
Peter Bocquet, Vice-Pres't.
Melchior Warley, Sr. Ward'n
Jacob Willeman, Jr. Ward'n
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Francis Cobia, } Stewards
John H. Nuffer, }

1776.

Peter Bocquet, President.
Philip Meyer, Vice-Presid't.
G. Hahnbaum, S. Warden.
Jacob Willeman, J. Warden.
Abraham Speidel, Treas'r.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Florian C. Mey, } Stewards.
Peter Meurset, }

1777.

Philip Meyer, President.
G. E. Hahnbaum, Vice-Pres.
Jacob Willeman, S. Warden.
Henry Timrod, Jun. Warden
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
John Fisher, } Stewards
Chris. Willeman, }

1778.

G. E. Hahnbaum, President
Jacob Willeman, Vice-Pres.
Henry Timrod, S. Warden.
Henry Lindauer, Jr. Warden
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Daniel Strobel, } Stewards
Philip Will, }

1779.

Jacob Willeman, President.
Henry Timrod, Vice-Pres't.
Henry Lindauer, S. Warden.
Daniel Strobel, Jr. Warden.
Abraham Speidel, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Jno. Chris. Smith } Stewards
Leonard Martin }

1780.

Henry Timrod, President.
Daniel Strobel, Vice-Pres't.
Chris. Willeman, S. Warden.
Leonard Martin, J. Warden.
Jacob Willeman, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Adam Petsch, } Stewards
Christian Martin }

No meetings of the Society were held from the year 1780 until the 1st of Jan'y, 1783.

1783.

Daniel Strobel, President.
Christ. Willeman, Vice-P.
Adam Petsch, S. Warden.
Leonard Martin, Jr. Warden
Jacob Willeman, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Philip Wesner, } Stewards.
Jacob Sass, }

1784.

Christ. Willeman, President.
Leonard Martin, Vice-Pres.
Adam Petsch, Sr. Warden.
Philip Wesner, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Willeman, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Albert A. Muller, } Stewards
George Dener, }

1785.

Leonard Martin, President.
John Delcke, Vice-President
Philip Wesner, S. Warden.
George Dener, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Willeman, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
John Kimmel, } Stewards
Ab'm Markley, }

1786.

Peter Bocquet, President.
Martin Miller, Vice-Presid't
George Dener, Sen. Warden.
Jacob Sass, Jun. Warden.
Jacob Willeman, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
John Kupper, } Stewards
Christian Belser. }

1787.

Michael Kalteisen, Presid't.
George Dener, Vice-Presid't
Jacob Sass, Senior Warden.
Francis Cobia, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Willeman, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Joseph Bieller, } Stewards
John Kelly, }

1788.

George Dener, President.
Jacob Sass, Vice-President.
Francis Cobia, Sr. Warden.
Abr. Markley, Jun. Warden.
Jacob Willeman, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Henry Geiger, } Stewards
George Young, }

1789.

Jacob Sass, President.
Francis Cobia, Vice-Pres'dt.
Abr. Markley, Sr. Warden.
Chris. Belser, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Willeman, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Chas. G. Corre, } Stew'ds
Chris. Hahnbaum, }

1790.

Francis Cobia, President,
Ab. Markley, Vice-President.
Chris. Belser, Sr. Warden.
John Kelly, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Willeman, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Rudolph Switzer, } Stew'ds
John Burckmyer, }

1791.

Abr. Markley, President.
Chris. Belser, Vice-Presid't.
John Kelly, Sr. Warden.
Joseph Bieller, Jr. Warden.
George Hahnbaum, Treas'r.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.

J. Chris. Martin, } Stewards
Jacob Eckhard, }

1792.

Chris. Belser, President.
Joseph Bieller, Vice-Pres't.
Chas. C. Corre, Sr. Warden.
John C. Martin, Jr. Warden
Chris. Hahnbaum, Treas'r.
Chas. Gruber, Secretary.
Jacob Strobel, } Stewards.
John Miller, }

1793.

Joseph Bieller, President.
Chas. G. Corre, Vice-Pres't.
John C. Martin, Sr. Warden.
Rudolph Switzer, Jr. Ward.
Chris. Hahnbaum, Treas'r.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
William Lehre, } Stewards.
John Martin, }

1794.

Chas. G. Corre, President.
John C. Martin, Vice-Pres't.
Rudolph Switzer, S. Warden
William Lehre, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Martin, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
John Eberly, } Stew'ds.
C. F. Hahnbaum, }

1795.

Charles G. Corre, President.
Rudolph Switzer, Vice-Pres.
William Lehre, Sr. Warden.
John Burckmyer, Jr. Ward.
Jacob Martin, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Thomas Lehre, } Stewards
J. Horlbeck, jr., }

1796.

William Lehre, President.
G. F. Hahnbaum, Vice-P.
Thomas Lehre, Sr. Warden.
Jacob Strobel, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Martin, Treasurer.
Jacob Eckhard, Secretary.
Charles Gruber, } Stewards
David Cruger, }

1797.

Thomas Lehre, President.
Jacob Strobel, Vice-Pres't.
David Cruger, Sr. Warden.
J. Horlbeck, jr., Jr. Warden.
Jacob Martin, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Daniel Martin, } Stew'ds.
John Weissenger, }

1798.

Jacob Strobel, President.
David Cruger, Vice-Pres't.
J. Horlbeck, jr., Sr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Martin, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Charles Frish, } Stewards.
John Strobel, }

1799.

David Cruger, President.
John Horlbeck, Vice-Pres't.
Jacob Eckhard, Sr. Warden.
John Strobel, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Martin, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
John Folker, } Stew's.
Mich'l Muckenfuss, }

1800.

J. Horlbeck, jr., President.
Jacob Eckhard, Vice-Pres't.
John Strobel, Sen. Warden.
M. Muckenfuss, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Martin, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.

Henry Horlbeck, } Stewards
Wm. G. Faber, }

1801.

Jacob Eckhard, President.
John Strobel, Vice-Pres'dt.
M. Muckenfuss, Sr. Warden.
J. C. Folker, Jr. Warden, resigned; H. Horlbeck, elect'd.
Jacob Martin, Treasurer.
Charles Gruber, Secretary.
Ch. Gruber, } Stewards
J. E. Schirmer, }

1802.

John Strobel, President.
M. Muckenfuss, Vice-Pres't.
Henry Horlbeck, S. Warden.
J. E. Schirmer, Jr. Warden.
J. Martin, Treas'r, resigned; Jacob Eckhard elected.
Chris. Gruber, Secretary.
Fred. Beard, } Stewards.
J. Strohecker, }

1803.

M. Muckenfuss, President.
Henry Horlbeck, Vice-Pres.
J. E. Schirmer, Sr. Warden.
Wm. G. Faber, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, Treasurer.
Christian Gruber, Secretary.
Nich. Schreiner, } Stewards
John Hauck, }

1804.

Henry Horlbeck, President.
J. E. Schirmer, Vice-Pres'dt.
Wm. G. Faber, Sr. Warden.
J. Strohecker, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, Treasurer.
Christian Gruber, Secretary.
J. F. Schmidt, died; J. C. Faber elected; J. Willeman, jr., Stewards.

1805.

Thos. Lehre, President, resigned; J. Sass, elected.
John Strobel, Vice-Pres'dt.
J. Strohecker, Sr. Warden.
Fred. Beard, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, Treasurer.
Christian Gruber, Secretary.
D. Bruckner, } Stewards.
L. Strobel, }

1806.

John C. Faber, President.
J. Strohecker, Vice-Pres'dt.
John Hauck, Sr. Warden.
Lewis Strobel, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, Treasurer.
Chris. Gruber, Secretary.
Fred. Wittich, } Stewards.
Andrew Blum, }

1807.

Jacob Martin, President.
Lewis Strobel, Vice-Pres't.
Thomas Sigwald, S. Warden.
Fred. Wittich, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, Treasurer.
Christian Gruber, Secretary.
B. Strobel, removed; C. H. Faber elect., J. Schwartz, Stewards.

1808.

Jacob Strobel, Pr., resigned, W. G. Faber elected.
W. G. Faber, Vice-P., promoted; C. H. Faber elected.
C. H. Faber, S. Warden, promoted; And. Blum, elect.
A. Blum, Jr. Warden, promoted; J. Weissenger, elect'd.
Jacob Eckhard, Treasurer.
Chris. Gruber, Secretary, resigned; J. Strobel elected.

J. N. Martin, } Stewards.
J. Belser,

1809.

Thomas Lehre, President.
Jacob Belser, Vice-President
John Schwartz, Sr. Warden.
John N. Martin, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, Treasurer.
John Strobel, Secretary.
John Pickenpack, } Stew'ds.
Benj. A. Markley,

1810.

John Strohecker, President.
John Schwartz, Vice-Pres.
J. N. Martin, Sr. Warden.
John Pickenpack, Jr. Ward.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
John Strobel, Secretary.
John H. Margart, } Stew' ds
Jacob Eckhard, jr.

1811.

John Strohecker, President.
J. H. Margart, Vice-Pres't.
Jacob Eckhard, jr., S. Ward.
B. A. Markley, Jr. Ward., resigned; J. Hauck elected.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
John Strobel, Secretary.
Ant. Pelzer } Stewards.
E. G. Sass,

1812.

John H. Margart, President.
J. Eckhard, jr., Vice-Pres't.
Ant. Pelzer, Sen. Warden.
E. G. Sass, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
John Strobel, Secretary.
J. G. Wurdemann, resigned; J. J. Schnell, elected, J. C. Martin, Stewards.

1813.

Jacob Eckhard, jr., Presid't.
B. A. Markley, Vice-P., resigned; J. Sass elected.
Anthony Pelzer, Sr. Warden.
J. E. Schirmer, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
John Strobel, Secretary.
John A. Schroder, } Stew'ds.
Francis C. Hill,

1814.

John Horlbeck, President.
Jacob Sass, Vice-President.
J. J. Schnell, Sr. Warden.
J. E. Schirmer, Jr. Warden.
John Eckhard, sr. Treas'r.
John Strobel, Secretary.
William H. Sass, } Stewards
Chas. Bussacker,

1815.

John Horlbeck, President.
Jacob Sass, Vice-President.
W. H. Sass, Senior Warden.
Chas. Bussacker, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
John Strobel, Secretary.
C. C. Philips, left the State; Peter Crovat elected, J F. Mintzing, Stewards.

1816.

Henry Horlbeck, President.
W. H. Sass, Vice-P., left the State; J. F. Mintzing elec.
J. F. Mintzing, Sr. Warden, promoted; A. Pelzer elect.
Ant. Pelzer, Jr. Warden, promoted; F. C. Hill elected.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
John Strobel, Secretary.
G. B. Eckhard, } Stewards.
F. Wesner,

1817.

Henry Horlbeck, President.
J. F. Mintzing, Vice-Pres't.
Anthony Pelzer, Sr. Warden.
G. B. Eckhard, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
John Strobel, Secretary.
James G. Stoll, John Schirer, John Mood } Stewards.

1818.

J. F. Mintzing, President.
G. B. Eckhard, Vice-Pres't.
Fred. Wesner, Sr. Warden.
C. F. Matthiessen, Jr. Ward.
J. Eckhard, sr., Treasurer.
John Strobel, Secretary.
J. M. Hoff, Ad. Beckmann, Martin Strobel, } Stewards.

1819.

J. F. Mintzing, President.
G. B. Eckhard, Vice-Pres't.
C. F. Matthiessen, S. Ward.
A. Beckmann, Jr. Warden.
J. Eckhard, sr., Treasurer.
Anthony Pelzer, Secretary.
Ferdinand Muller, William F. Stoll, } Stew'ds

1820.

G. B. Eckhard, President.
C. F. Matthiessen, Vice-P.
John M. Hoff, Sr. Warden.
Ferdinand Muller, Jr. Warden, removed from the city; M. Strobel elected.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
Anthony Pelzer, Secretary.
Abraham Jones, Henry Sifley, Alex. Gillon, } Stewards.

1821.

G. B. Eckhard, President.
Charles Gruber, Vice-Pres't.
Martin Strobel, Sr. Warden.
Alex. Gillon, Jr. Warden.
J. Eckhard, sr., Treasurer.
Anthony Pelzer, Secretary.
J. F. Eckhard, J. C. Jones, H. Mohr, left the State, H. Knust, elected; stew's.

1822.

Martin Strobel, President.
John M. Hoff, Vice-Pres'dt.
Abraham Jones, Sr. Warden.
Henry Sifley, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
Anthony Pelzer, Secretary.
Peter Mood, F. A. Beckmann, John C. Miller, } Stewards

1823.

John M. Hoff, President.
Abraham Jones, Vice-Pres't.
Henry Sifley, Sr. Warden.
Peter Mood, Junior Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
Ant. Pelzer, Sec'y, left the State; M. Strobel elected.
T. Chrietzburg, Alex. Ballund, David A. Ring, } Stewards.

1824.

Henry Horlbeck, President.
Abraham Jones, Vice-Pres't.
F. A. Beckmann, S. Warden.
Alex. Ballund, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
C. Burckmeyer, W. Kunhardt, John A. Blum, } Stewards.

1825.

Henry Horlbeck, President.
Wm. Kunhardt, Vice-Pres't.
C. Burckmeyer, Sr. Warden
Jacob Strobel, Jun. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
J. F. Schirmer, John Myer, resigned, John H. Hauck elected; F. L. Strobel, Stewards.

1826.

Henry Horlbeck, President.
David A. Ring, Vice-Pres't.
John A. Blum, Sr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Jr. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
C. C. Strohecker, John Siegling, James Heilbron, } Stew'ds.

1827.

Henry Horlbeck, President.
David A. Ring, Vice-Pres't.
J. Heilbron, Sr. Warden, resign'd, C. C. Strohecker pro.
C. C. Strohecker, Jr. Warden, pro.; C. F. Matthiessen elected.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
Elias Horlbeck, J. C. Muckenfuss, Otto P.D.Bremer, } Stew'ds.

1828.

David A. Ring, President.
Elias Horlbeck, Vice-Pres't.
J. C. Muckenfuss, Sr. Ward.
B. B. Strobel, Jr. Warden.
J. Eckhard, sr., Treasurer.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
J. M. Van Rhyn, H. Horlbeck, jr., John C. Sigwald, } Stew'ds.

1829.

David A. Ring, President.
J. C. Muckenfuss, S. Warden, died; John M. Van Rhyn elected in his place.
J. M. Van Rhyn, J. Warden, elected Sr. Warden; J. A. Blum elected in his stead.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
H. W. Muckenfuss, C. P. L. Westendorff, } Stw.

1830.

J. M. Van Rhyn, President.
John A. Blum, Sr. Warden.
C. C. Strohecker, J. Warden.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
Herman D. Buerhaus, George Jacoby, } Stw.

1831.

J. M. Van Rhyn, President, left the State; J. A. Blum elected in his place.
J. A. Blum, S. Warden, elected President; C. C. Strohecker elected in his place.
C. C. Strohecker, Jr. Warden, elected Sr. Warden; Alex. Ballund elect. in his place.
Jacob Eckhard, sr., Treas'r.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
J. D. Yates, J. Schnierle, } Stewards.

1832.

John A. Blum, President.
J. D. Yates, Sr. Warden.
Alex. Ballund, Jr. Warden.

Jacob Eckhard, Sr. Treas'r.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
And. Lovegreen, } Stewards
James M. Smith, }

1833.

Jacob F. Mintzing, Presid't.
J. M. Van Rhyn, Sr. Warden.
Alex. Ballund, Jr. Warden.
J. Eckhard, Treasurer, died; G. B. Eckhard elected in his place.
Fred. C. Blum, Dan. Horlbeck (resigned as a member; Lawrence Benson elected), Stewards.

1834.

J. F. Mintzing, President.
J. M. Van Rhyn, Sr. Warden.
John Schnierle, Jr. Warden.
Geo. B. Eckhard, Treasurer.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
Wm. H. Timrod, } Stewards
Fred. Steinmyer, }

1835.

J. F. Mintzing, President.
J. M. Van Rhyn, Sr. Warden.
John Schnierle, Jr. Warden.
Geo. B. Eckhard, Treasurer.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
J. Charles Blum, } Stewards
Fred. Schnierle, }

1836.

J. F. Mintzing, President.
J. M. Van Rhyn, Sr. Warden, left the State; J. Schnierle elected in his place, July 27.
John Schnierle, Jr. Warden, promoted; J. Chas. Blum elected.
George B. Eckhard, Treas'r.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
Daniel Boinest, } Stewards
W. H. Schirmer, }

1837.

J. F. Mintzing, President.
John Schnierle, Sr. Warden.
J. C. Blum, Jr. Warden.
Geo. B. Eckhard, Treasurer.
Martin Strobel, Secretary.
John Ewan, } Stewards
J. H. Steinmyer, }

1838.

J. F. Mintzing, President.
John Schnierle, Sr. Warden.
J. C. Blum, Junior Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
M. Strobel, Secretary, died; John A. Blum elected.
Edw. Horlbeck, } Stewards
R. W. Seymour, }

1839.

J. F. Mintzing, President.
John Schnierle, Sr. Warden.
J. C. Blum, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
W. W. Kunhardt, M. D. Strobel resigned; W. Schnierle elected—Stewards.

1840.

J. F. Mintzing, President.
John Schnierle, Sr. Warden.
J. C. Blum, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
J. A. Blum, Secretary.
R. J. Eason, } Stewards.
E. J. Jones, }

1841.

J. F. Mintzing, President.
John Schnierle, Sr. Warden.
J. C. Blum, Jr. Warden.

J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
J. A. Blum, Secretary.
Geo. E. Strohecker, } Stw'ds.
M. W. Cross, }

1842.

J. Schnierle, President.
J. C. Blum, Senior Warden.
Edw. Horlbeck, Jr. Warden, resigned; J. H. Steinmeyer elected.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
J. L. Strohecker, } Stewards
John H. Nicolai, }

1843.

John Schnierle, President.
J. C. Blum, Senior Warden.
J. H. Steinmeyer, J. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
Henry Cobia, } Stewards.
C. Kellers, }

1844.

John Schnierle, President.
J. C. Blum, Sr. Warden.
J. H. Steinmeyer, J. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
Frederic Witpenn, } Stw's.
B. S. D. Muckenfuss, }

1845.

J. C. Blum, President.
J. H. Steinmeyer, S. Warden.
Henry Cobia, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
H. F. Strohecker, } Stewards
E. C. Tharin, }

1846.

J. C. Blum, President.
J. H. Steinmeyer, S. Warden.
Henry Cobia, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
C. H. Panknin, J. H. Kalb, resigned; J. S. Burges elected, Stewards.

1847.

J. C. Blum, President.
J. H. Steinmeyer, S. Warden.
Henry Cobia, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
John Carter, } Stewards.
P. W. Brown, }

1848.

J. C. Blum, President.
J. D. Yates, Senior Warden.
John Carter, Jun. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
A. H. Dunkin, } Stewards.
H. Knee, }

1849.

J. C. Blum, President.
J. D. Yates, Sr. Warden.
John Carter, resigned: A. H. Dunkin, elect. Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
J. A. Blum, Secretary.
J. B. Patrick, } Stew' ds
C. L. Burckmeyer, }

1850.

J. C. Blum, President.
J. D. Yates, Senior Warden.
A. H. Dunkin, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
Dr. A. P. Pelzer, } Stewards
Henry Gerdts, }

1851.

J. D. Yates, President.

A. H. Dunkin, resign'd; A. P. Pelzer elected Sr. Warden
A. P. Pelzer promoted; H. Gerdts elect'd Jr. Warden.
Jacob F. Schirmer, Treas'r.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
E. H. Carsten, L. Schuckmann, } Stewards.

1852.

J. D. Yates, President.
Dr. A. P. Pelzer, Sr. Warden.
Henry Gerdts, resigned; J, Seigling elect'd J. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
Horace Massot, Alex. Calder, } Stewards.

1853.

Dr. A. P. Pelzer, President.
C. L. Burckmeyer, S. Warden
Horace Massot, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
D. G. Wayne, L. B. Lovegreen, } Stewards.

1854.

Dr. A. P. Pelzer, President.
C. L. Burckmeyer, S. Warden
D. G. Wayne, Jun. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
W. K. Bachman, J. F. Bonniott, } Stewards

1855.

Dr. A. P. Pelzer, President.
D. G. Wayne, Sr. Warden.
J. F. Bonniott, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
G. D. Grice, G. F. Trescot, } Stewards.

1856.

Dr. A. P. Pelzer, President.
D. G. Wayne, Sr. Warden.
J. F. Bonniott, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
J. A. Blum, Secretary.
G. W. Weinges, R. A. Blum, } Stewards

1857.

D. G. Wayne, President.
Dr. J. B. Patrick, S. Warden.
G. W. Weinges, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
O. E. Johnson, J. H. Schulte, } Stewards

1858.

D. G. Wayne, President.
Dr. J. B. Patrick, S. Warden.
G. W. Weinges, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
J. S. Westendorff, J. H. Steinmeyer, jr. } Stew's.

1859.

Dr. J. B. Patrick, President.
A. H. Dunkin, Sr. Warden.
O. E. Johnson, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
J. H. Schreiner, jr., H. E. Young, } Stew's.

1860.

Dr. J. B. Patrick, President.
A. H. Dunkin, Sr. Warden.
O. E. Johnson, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
Jacob Small, J. O. Beckman, } Stewards

1861.

A. H. Dunkin, President.
O. E. Johnson, Sr. Warden.
Jacob Small, Jr. Warden.
Jacob F. Schirmer, Treas.
Jno. A. Blum, Secretary.
Theo. Klinck, } Stewards.
H. B. Olney, }

1862.

A. H. Dunkin, President.
O. E. Johnson, Sr. Warden.
Jacob Small, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
Jno. A. Blum, Secretary.
C. M. Wienges, } Stew'ds.
B. A. Muckenfuss, }

1863.

Jacob Small, President.
B. A. Muckenfuss, Sr. Ward.
C. M. Wienges, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
Jno. A. Blum, Secretary.
J. H. Happoldt, } Stewards.
B. Bollmann, }

1864.

Jacob Small, President.
B. A. Muckenfuss, Sr. Ward.
C. M. Wienges, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
Jno. A. Blum, Secretary.
J. H. Happoldt, } Stewards.
B. Bollmann, }

1865.

No Election was held on account of the war.

1866.

Jacob Small, President.
B. A. Muckenfuss, Sr. Ward.
J. H. Steinmeyer, jr., Jr. W'n
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
Jno. A. Blum, Secretary.
Henry Siegling, } Stewards.
A. Melchers, }

1867.

Jacob Small, President.
H. B. Olney, Sr. Warden.
Alex. Melchers, Jr. Warden.
Jacob F. Schirmer, Treas.
John A. Blum, Secretary.
J. F. Ficken, } Stewards.
J. D. Lesemann, }

1868.

Jacob Small, President.
H. B. Olney, Sr. Warden.
A. Melchers, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
Jno. A. Blum, Secretary.
W. M. Muckenfuss, } Stw'ds.
F. Dauer, }

1869.

Jacob Small, President.
H. B. Olney, Sr. Warden.
A. Melchers, Jr. Warden.
J. F. Schirmer, Treasurer.
Jno. A. Blum, Secretary.
W. B. Boinest, } Stewards.
J. M. Petersen, }

OFFICERS FOR 1870.

JACOB SMALL, *President.*
H. B. OLNEY, *Senior Warden.*
ALEX. MELCHERS, *Junior Warden.*
JACOB F. SCHIRMER, *Treasurer.*
JOHN A. BLUM, *Secretary.*
F. VON SANTEN, } *Stewards.*
A. C. KAUFMAN, }

STANDING COMMITTEES FOR 1870.

Committee on Charity.

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HENRY HORLBECK,
DR. A. P. PELZER,
DR. J. B. PATRICK,
H. W. MUCKENFUSS,
A. H. DUNKIN,
F. C. BLUM.

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ALEX. MELCHERS, *Chairman,*
J. H. SCHULTE,
J. D. LESEMANN,
OSKAR AICHEL,
W. B. BOINEST.

Committee on Relief.

HENRY GERDTS, *Chairman.*
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J. H. RENNEKER,
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MEMBERS

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FROM ITS ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTE.—*d* signifies dead; *e* excluded; *r* resigned. The names of the present members are printed in *italic*.

NO.	NAMES OF MEMBERS.	ADMITTED.	REMARKS.
336	Aberegg, John	January 6, 1819	*r* April 24, 1822
177	Allison, Jacob H	July 16, 1794	*d* March 28, 1815
439	Andrews, Warren	January 21, 1835	*r*
606	*Aichel, Oskar*	January 17, 1866	
612	*Amme, D A*	January 31, 1866	
629	*Ahrens, C D*	July 18, 1866	
651	*Atkinson, J A*	September 5, 1866	
699	*Adair, W F*	November 24, 1869	
700	*Ansel, F*	December 24, 1869	
305	*Bachman, Rev. John*	February 12, 1815	
461	Baker, E B	March 25, 1838	*e* August 5, 1840
330	Ballund, Alexander	December 10, 1817	*d* September 6, 1840
49	Baltz, John Gottlieb	December 30, 1767	*e* May 10, 1769
319	Barnstein, John H	September 11, 1816	*d* September 22, 1822
55	Barter, John	January 31, 1776	*e* May 6, 1772
117	Bayer, Henry	December 15, 1779	*d* April 16, 1786
192	Bayer, Jacob F	April 22, 1795	*d* November 23, 1817
75	Beard, Jonas	February 5, 1772	*e* May 12, 1784
221	Beard, Frederick	April 17, 1799	*d* October 29, 1827
246	Beckman, Adolph	April 25, 1804	*d* July 24, 1856
347	Beckman, Francis A	January 19, 1820	*d* September, 1838
472	Beckman, C J	January 22, 1840	*r*
473	Beckman, A E	" "	*r*
314	Beile, John C	January 24, 1816	*d* September 8, 1839
119	Belser, Christian	January 12, 1780	*d* April 2, 1842
241	Belser, Jacob	October 1, 1802	*r* July 21, 1824
337	Belser, Frederick S	January 6, 1819	*e* August 9, 1826
416	Benson, Law	January 19, 1831	*d* January 29, 1841
379	Bernard, Duke of Saxe Weimar	December 19, 1825	Admitted as an honorary memb'r
199	Beyerle, Frederick	October 7, 1795	*d* August 30, 1798
118	Beysell, Henry	December 29, 1779	*d* November 19, 1784
92	Bieller, Joseph	November 19, 1777	*d* November 28, 1808
162	Bieller, Jacob	April 18, 1792	*r* July 25, 1798
185	Blum, John Jacob	January 21, 1795	*d* October 8, 1798
228	Blum, Andrew	February 12, 1800	*d* October 2, 1815

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362	*Blum, John A*	February 19, 1823	
413	*Blum, F C*	June 30, 1830	
433	Blum, J Charles	June 4, 1834	*d* June 12, 1857
78	Bocquet, Peter	June 17, 1772	*d* March 15, 1793
27	Bohner, Godfrey	June 18, 1766	*d* January 14, 1774
443	Boinest, Daniel	January 13, 1836	*d*
386	Bremer, Otto P D	November 15, 1826	*r* April 8, 1833
13	Briegel, Jacob	January 15, 1766	*d* May 4, 1771
355	Brodermann, Andrew	April 11, 1821	*e* May 7, 1823
36	Brown, Casper	November 26, 1766	*e* February 10, 1768
349	Brown, William	January 26, 1820	*d*
463	Brown, P W	September 12, 1838	*d* July 20, 1859
217	Bruckner, Daniel	January 30, 1799	*e* August 7, 1811
476	Bruen, John W	February 17, 1841	*d*
335	Buerhaus, Herman D	January 6, 1819	*d* February 16, 1834
15	Burckmyer, Conrad	January 15, 1766	*d* January 26, 1770
105	Burckmyer, Charles	October 14, 1778	*d* May 29, 1796
162	Burckmyer, John	October 21, 1789	*d* May 26, 1812
312	Burckmyer, John C	January 17, 1816	*r* August 1, 1838
361	Burckmyer, Cornelius	February 12, 1823	*d*
486	*Burckmyer, C L*	January, 1844	
430	Burges, James S	May 28, 1834	*r*
285	Bussacker, Charles	April 18, 1810	*d* March 3, 1856
331	Buxbaum, John F	January 7, 1818	*e* April 18, 1821
499	*Burger, S J*	January, 1850	
529	Bonnoit, J H	January, 1853	*d* February 12, 1869
530	Backus, F	January, 1853	*e* February 9, 1859
537	Buzby, G W	December, 1854	*e* February 9, 1859
538	Blum, R A	December, 1854	*d* September 6, 1863
540	*Bollmann, B*	December, 1854	
645	*Beckmann, J O*	February, 1855	
576	Baurmeister, G C	November 16, 1859	*e* February 5, 1868
597	Bythewood, M W	June 10, 1863	*e* February 5, 1868
605	*Boinest, W B*	January 17, 1866	
611	*Boinest, Daniel*	January 31, 1866	
615	*Boinest, J E*	March 7, 1866	
630	*Bulwinkle, H*	July 18, 1866	
653	*Barker, Theodore G*	August 8, 1866	
655	*Boyden, J J*	August 1, 1866	
661	*Bischoff, H*	September 26, 1866	
687	Bollmann, H	October 31, 1866	*d* February 23, 1870
690	Buckheit, P	August 20, 1866	*e* February 5, 1868
691	*Behre, C H*	April 3, 1867	
701	*Barkley, R C*	December 1, 1869	
703	*Brodie, E N*	January 19, 1870	
710	*Buist, Henry*	March 2, 1870	
300	Carpenter, Joseph, Sr.	February 10, 1813	*d* September 23, 1826
370	Carpenter, Joseph, Jr.	July 21, 1824	*e* August 11, 1831
371	Carsten, John	August 11, 1824	*d* November 3, 1836
189	Chrietzberg, Conrad	March 25, 1795	*e* August 8, 1810
274	Chrietzberg, Thomas	November 15, 1809	*d* August 17, 1828
83	Cobia, Francis	January 19, 1774	*d* August 29, 1792
84	Cobia, Michael	January 19, 1774	*e* November 8, 1775
126	Cobia, Nicholas	January 8, 1783	*d* October 29, 1838
209	Cobia, Daniel	January 4, 1797	*e* November 11, 1801
457	Cobia, Henry	January 24, 1838	*d* February 13, 1870
442	Cohrs, Henry A	February 25, 1835	*d* October 9, 1837
354	Colberg, Christopher	April 11, 1821	*r* January 21, 1829

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258	Colman, Benjamin	January 14, 1807	*d* October 6, 1817
482	Cook, J A	January 19, 1842	*d* November 15, 1869
410	Corlay, J A	March 10, 1830	*d* Nov. 16, 1838
141	Corre, Charles G	November 1, 1786	*d* July 22, 1806
313	Crone, Harman	January 24, 1816	*e* August 11, 1834
304	Crovat, Peter	January 26, 1815	*r* January 31, 1838
421	Crovat, Peter D	November 9, 1831	*e* November 6, 1833
482	Crovat, Gibbs F	March 12, 1834	*e* November 11, 1835
467	Cross, M W	December 19, 1838	*e* Rejoined 1866
134	Cruger, David	July 13, 1785	*d* July 26, 1804
284	Cutler, John F	April 4, 1810	*r* February 6, 1828
484	Carsten, John	October, 1843	*e*
507	Carsten, E H	July, 1850	*e* February 9, 1859
492	*Calder, Alexander, Jr.*	January, 1849	
535	Church, J F	October, 1854	*e* April 17, 1861
558	*Carson, J M*	February, 1858	
564	*Cordes, Theodore*	March 30, 1859	
594	*Claussen, J C H*	August 20, 1862	
595	*Campsen, John*	March 25, 1863	
613	*Connor, George D*	February 24, 1866	
623	*Clacius, C*	May 9, 1866	
649	*Cross, M W*	October 17, 1866	
668	Cathcart, G R	August 15, 1866	*e* February 5, 1868
694	*Campbell, W L*	December, 25, 1867	
555	*Dukes, T C H*	February, 1858	
557	*Dingle, W B*	February, 1858	
251	Dacker, Frederick	April 17, 1805	*d* November 1, 1809
288	Dantzman, George	December 12, 1810	*e* February 9, 1820
68	Daser, Rev. W F A	April 3, 1771	*e* August 9, 1797
50	Deeg, John Peter	February 10, 1768	*d* May 26, 1770
54	Delcke, John	May 24, 1769	*d* November 12, 1789
127	Dener, George	May 7, 1783	*d* July 27, 1795
146	Dener, John Peter	January 16, 1788	*d* January 23, 1796
234	Dener, George	January 14, 1801	*r* April 26, 1811
459	Desel, Charles L	January 31, 1838	*r*
316	Deye, Benjamin	January 24, 1816	*d* November 27, 1834
191	Dierson, Martin	April 15, 1795	*d* October 23, 1798
74	Ditmor, John	January 8, 1772	*d* December 27, 1775
268	Dresler, Hans	May 4, 1808	*r* Sept. 3, 1816—re-ad. Oct. 22, 1817—*d.* Nov. 21, 1818.
280	Drewes, Henry	January 31, 1810	*d* July 13, 1829
446	Dukes, W C	January 27, 1836	*d* June 12, 1867
399	*Dunkin, B F*	July 1, 1829	
153	Duntze, Gerard	April 21, 1790	*e* August 11, 1790
6	Dus, Christian	January 15, 1766	*e* May 6, 1767
489	*Dunkin, A H*	January 29, 1847	
639	*Dingle, G W*	September 15, 1866	
670	*Dauer, F*	January 9, 1867	
673	*Ducker, C G*	April 22, 1866	
512	Ellerhorst, H D	December, 1850	*e* August, 1852
550	Ewan, W H	August, 1856	*d* February, 1860
464	Eason, R J	November 14, 1838	*d* November, 1858
139	Eberly, John	July 5, 1786	*d* September 12, 1799
151	Eckhard, Jacob, Sr.	October 21, 1789	*d* November 10, 1833
270	Eckhard, Jacob, Jr.	March 29, 1809	*d* December 27, 1832
308	Eckhard, George B	September 27, 1815	*d*

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352	Eckhard, John F	July 26, 1820	*r* March 11, 1829
201	Egner, John Lewis	October 21, 1795	*e* February 8, 1797
16	Ehney, Eberhart	January 15, 1766	*d* September 29, 1767
471	Elfe, Albert	January 22, 1840	*r* September 5, 1849
434	Ewan, John	December 17, 1834	*r*
73	Erhard, Casper	January 8, 1772	*d* December 13, 1787
89	Ernst, John	December 25, 1776	*d* October 6, 1781
598	Evans, J W	January 17, 1866	*e* March 10, 1869
622	Eysenbach, G H	May 9, 1866	*e* February 5, 1868
637	Earle, J P	August 22, 1866	*d* September 23, 1867
660	*Enston, E D*	August 29, 1866	
693	*Eckel, A W*	April 3, 1867	
523	Foran, J J	April, 1851	*d* November 11, 1858
551	*Froneberger, C*	February, 1856	
144	Faber, John C	January 9, 1783	*r* January 8, 1812
220	Faber, William G	April 17, 1799	*d* July 26, 1816
244	Faber, Christian H	May 25, 1803	*r* October 26, 1815
254	Faber, Rev. Charles	December 24, 1806	*r* December 25, 1811
478	*Faber, J C, M.D.*	January 27, 1841	
85	Fisher, John	October 19, 1774	*e* August 6, 1783
194	Folker, John C	May 27, 1795	*e* August 11, 1802
53	Frank, Sigmund	February 22, 1767	*d* March 31, 1771
44	Freymouth, John	May 6, 1767	*d* January 11, 1778
116	Frisch, Charles	December 1, 1779	*d* February 12, 1821
383	Fulda, Frederick W	July 26, 1826	*e* March 11, 1835
344	Furr, Jacob	May 19, 1819	*d*
575	Ficken, J F, Sr.	March 30, 1859	*d*
618	*Ficken, J F, Jr.*	May 2, 1866	
638	*Fehrenbach, N*	September 15, 1866	
692	Fremder, Charles	April 3, 1867	*d* November 4, 1869
491	*Gerdts, H*	January, 1849	
526	Getsinger, B R	January, 1852	*e* February, 1857
534	Gruver, W H	October, 1854	*e* February 5, 1868
539	*Grice, G D*	December, 1854	
149	Gabel, Conrad	October 15, 1778	*r* February 27, 1793
441	Gatewood, W C	January 28, 1835	*r*
34	Geiger, Jacob	October 8, 1766	*e* November 9, 1768
38	Geiger, Michael	January 7, 1767	*d* September 12, 1767
115	Geiger, Henry	November 10, 1779	*e* November 10, 1790
123	Geil, Lewis	January 19, 1780	*d* December 6, 1780
122	Gensel, John	January 19, 1780	*e* February 11, 1784
481	Giese, Charles	January 19, 1842	*d*
46	Gillon, Alexander	November 11, 1767	*d* October 6, 1794
326	Gillon, Alexander	July 23, 1817	*e* August 11, 1830
77	Givham, Philip	April 8, 1772	*e* February 5, 1777
198	Goring, Christian F	October 7, 1795	*e* February 8, 1797
168	Graeser, Lewis A	November 7, 1792	*e* February 6, 1799
250	Green, William	January 16, 1805	*e* May 10, 1809
7	Gruber, Charles	January 15, 1766	*d* September 13, 1795
21	Gruber, Philip	February 26, 1766	*d* June 6, 1767
62	Gruber, Christian	June 6, 1770	*d* October 6, 1779
88	Gruber, Samuel	October 30, 1776	*e* November 11, 1789
173	Gruber, Charles, Jr	January 15, 1794	*d* October 15, 1828
190	Gruber, Martin	April 15, 1795	*d* September 16, 1822
204	Gruber, John	January 20, 1706	*d* November 1, 1803
211	Gruber, Christian	February 8, 1797	*d* December 11, 1812
324	Gruber, George	May 7, 1807	*e* August 11, 1824

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348	Gruber, C. Michael	January 19, 1820	*r*
303	Gulden, John	February 23, 1814	*d* November 20, 1824
587	Gale, R W	February 1, 1860	*e* February 5, 1868
619	*Graman, J H*	December 27, 1866	
621	*Gruber, G H*	May 9, 1866	
640	*Gaillard, P C*	September 11, 1866	
642	Gruver, J T	September 11, 1866	*e* February 5, 1868
643	Gruver, G W	September 11, 1866	*e* February 5, 1868
672	Goetjen, J H C	January 30, 1867	*d* July 14, 1869
706	*Goetjen, D*	January 19, 1870	
503	*Heine, W*	January, 1850	
510	Hilson, John	November, 1850	*d*
517	Horlbeck, Peter	January, 1851	*e* February 5, 1868
527	*Hogarth, H*	January, 1851	
546	*Honour, T A*	February, 1855	
547	Happoldt, A M	August, 1855	*r* February, 1856
549	Harbers, J D	January, 1856	*e* February, 5, 1868
48	Hahnbaum, Rev. J S	December 30, 1767	*d* February 10, 1770
56	Hahnbaum, George	March 14, 1770	*d* May 15, 1791
145	Hahnbaum, Christian	January 9, 1788	*d* November 21, 1794
170	Hahnbaum, G F, M.D.	March 13, 1793	*d* October 19, 1799
315	Hahnbaum, George E	January 24, 1816	*d* March 10, 1825
196	Happoldt, John G	July 15, 1795	*e* August 7, 1799
261	Happoldt, John M	July 8, 1807	*d* November 23, 1820
277	Happoldt, John P	January 31, 1810	*d* November 28, 1811
302	Happoldt, Christopher	January 12, 1814	*d* November 12, 1826
475	*Happoldt, J M*	October 7, 1840	
460	Happoldt, C D	February 7, 1838	*d* August 30, 1841
561	*Happoldt, A M*	January 19, 1859	
332	Harbers, John R	January 14, 1818	*d* December 19, 1832
52	Hassenclever, Frs. C	January 18, 1769	*d* October 15, 1781
232	Hauck, John	December 21, 1800	*d* November 11, 1823
366	Hauck, John H	January 21, 1824	*d* July 11, 1858
397	Hauschildt, P	December 31, 1828	*d* April 17, 1861
373	Heilbron, James	August 18, 1824	*d* June 8, 1839
187	Henrichsen, Betze	January 28, 1795	*r* January 24, 1821
299	Hessly, John	January 27, 1813	*e* February 9, 1820
142	Heyer, Diederich	August 29, 1787	*d* January 15, 1790
167	Hill, Charles	June 13, 1792	*d* May 3, 1800
188	Hill, Paul	March 18, 1795	*e* January 22, 1828
252	Hill, Francis C	October 23, 1815	*d* March 4, 1856
169	Hillegas, Philip	January 16, 1793	*e* November 7, 1798
458	Hilliard, O B	January 24, 1838	*r*
214	Hippers, Peter	January 2, 1798	*d* September 12, 1803
14	Hoff, Frederick	January 15, 1766	*d* August 20, 1774
320	Hoff, John M	January 8, 1817	*d* January 23, 1835
345	Hoffman, Jacob	June 16, 1819	*e* November 6, 1822
447	*Honour, J H*	January 27, 1836	
171	Horlbeck, Peter, Jr.	January 1, 1794	*d* October 6, 1794
172	Horlbeck, John, Jr.	January 8, 1794	*d*
219	Horlbeck, Henry	April 17, 1799	*d* December 17, 1837
384	*Horlbeck, Henry, Jr.*	August 2, 1826	
385	*Horlbeck, Elias, M.D.*	August 2, 1826	
405	Horlbeck, Daniel	January 27, 1830	*r* August 21, 1833
444	Horlbeck, Edward	January 20, 1836	*r*
425	Hume, A, Dr.	May 22, 1833	*r*
577	Heckmann, A	November 23, 1859	*d* August 29, 1869

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578	*Happoldt, J H*	January 4, 1860	
631	*Heins, J H*	July 25, 1866	
654	*Honour, J L*	September 5, 1866	
702	*Hicks, Rev. W W*	December 8, 1869	
705	*Horlbeck, John S*	January 19, 1870	
707	*Jenkins, C S*	February 2, 1870	
511	Jessen, H	October, 1850	*e* February 9, 1859
536	*Johnson, O E*	November, 1854	
541	*Jenney, R*	January, 1855	
112	Jacob, Frederick	July 28, 1799	*e* August 9, 1786
104	Jacobs, Daniel	August 26, 1778	*d* November 21, 1781
403	Jacoby, George	December 9, 1829	*d* July 12, 1838
200	Jenny, John	October 14, 1795	*r*
278	Jones, John C	January 31, 1810	*d* January 7, 1830
343	Jones, Abraham	March 3, 1819	*d* January 15, 1857
370	Jones, Edward J	December 18, 1839	*r*
22	Joss, John	March 26, 1766	*e* May 8, 1771
297	Jost, John	January 13, 1813	*d* July 28, 1816
671	Jungbluth, J H	August 22, 1866	*e* February 10, 1869
419	*Klinck, John, Sen*	April 27, 1831	
582	Klinck, J, Jr.	January 18, 1860	*d* August, 1864
583	Klinck, Theodore	January 18, 1860	*d* June, 1862
704	*Klinck, G. W.*	January 19, 1870	
506	Klesick, A	October, 1850	*d*
516	Keiffer, J	February, 1851	*e* August, 1852
174	Kaiser, John Jacob	January 15, 1794	*d* March 15, 1808
480	*Kalb, Jacob H*	January 19, 1842	
1	Kalteisen, Michael	January 15, 1766	*d* November 3, 1807
20	Keller, Michael	July 29, 1772	*d* December 13, 1784
483	Kellers, Carsten	January 19, 1842	*e* February 9, 1859
11	Kelly, John	January 15, 1766	*d* November 7, 1766
129	Kelly, John	May 21, 1783	*d* October 19, 1791
188	Kern, John F	October 1, 1794	*e* February 6, 1822
69	Keysell, Conrad	April 3, 1771	*d* December 22, 1772
25	Kimmel, Joseph	May 28, 1766	*d* October 10, 1779
125	Kimmel, John	January 8, 1783	*e* February 10, 1790
365	Kippenberg, Andrew	December 31, 1823	*d* March 15, 1825
111	Kirchner, John	May 5, 1779	*d* May 4, 1781
453	Knee, Herman	December 7, 1836	*d* February 11, 1869
224	Knipping, Christian P	January 15, 1800	*e* August 7, 1805
277	Knust, Henry	January 31, 1810	*d* November 4, 1821
120	Koffskey, Anth. Jan.	January 12, 1780	*e* July 11, 1787
57	Kreitner, Frederick	April 18, 1770	*d* April 10, 1777
133	Kruger Charles F	January 18, 1785	*e* May 8, 1793
290	Kugeley, John	January 9, 1811	*d* November 21, 1821
360	Kunhardt, William	February 12, 1823	*d*
462	Kunhardt, W W	July 18, 1838	*e*
114	Kupper, John	October 20, 1779	*d* September 4, 1786
650	*Kenake, Louis*	October 17, 1866	
674	*Klatte, H*	August 26, 1866	
689	*Knobeloch, W, Sr.*	November 7, 1866	
708	*Knobeloch, W, Jr.*	February 2, 1870	
697	*Kaufman, A C*	March 17, 1869	
524	*Lovegreen, L B*	January, 1852	
554	*Lord, S, jr.*	February, 1858	
64	Leber, Samuel	June 27, 1770	*d* November 3, 1773

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264	Lee, Paul, S H	December 30, 1807	*r* March 1, 1809—read, June 9, 1824
375	Lee, Francis J	January 19, 1825	*r* October 7, 1835
5	Lehre, John	January 15, 1766	*d* December 3, 1766
161	Lehre, William, M.D.	April 11, 1792	*d* May 21, 1799
166	Lehre, Thomas	April 25, 1792	*d* June 7, 1835
364	Lehre, Thomas, Jr.	August 13, 1823	*d* December, 1858
197	Leuthold, Andrew	October 7, 1795	*d* October 7, 1798
29	Lindauer, Henry	July 2, 1766	*d* October 19, 1787
110	Lockmeyer, Jacob	March 31, 1779	*e* February 11, 1784
398	Lockwood, Joshua	June 3, 1829	*d* October 5, 1836
456	Lord, Samuel	January 10, 1838	*r*
417	Lovegreen, Andrew	January 19, 1831	*d*
604	*Lucas Benjamin*	January 17, 1866	
609	*Lesemann, J D*	January 24, 1866	
667	*Lengnick, Albert*	November 14, 1866	
677	*Litschge, Charles*	January 30, 1867	
680	*Lange, J H*	January 9, 1867	
684	*Linstedt, G H*	January 30, 1867	
423	Manly, Rev. B	December 12, 1832	September 13, 1837
266	Margart, John H	January 27, 1808	*d*
406	Margart, J G	January 27, 1830	*e* May 11, 1842
407	Margart, H N	January 27, 1830	*e* November 10, 1841
408	Margart, Charles K	January 27, 1830	*d* February 22, 1832
100	Markley, Abraham	May 20, 1778	*d* June 29, 1824
269	Markley, Benjamin A	December 7, 1808	*r* January 16, 1839
449	Markley, John	June 15, 1836	*r*
240	Martens, Christian	May 12, 1802	*d* June 26, 1827
93	Martin, Leonard	December 17, 1777	*d* May 3, 1795
99	Martin, Christian	April 15, 1778	*d* October 3, 1789
147	Martin, John C	February 6, 1788	*d* April 23, 1803
159	Martin, Daniel	January 25, 1792	*d* November 17, 1798
165	Martin, Jacob	April 25, 1792	*e* August 7, 1823
212	Martin, John Peter	April 19, 1797	*d* —— 1832
257	Martin, John N	December 31, 1806	*e* November 7, 1827
267	Martin, John C	February 17, 1808	*d* January 24, 1835
307	Matthiessen, Conrad F	August 16, 1815	*d* January 20, 1867
414	Matthiessen, F C	July 7, 1830	*r* July 19, 1837
469	*Matthiessen, W*	January 16, 1839	
137	Mattuce, John	April 19, 1786	*e* August 11, 1802
9	Mattutz, Frederick	January 15, 1766	*e* November 9, 1768
41	Mayer, Laurence	March 4, 1767	*e* November 8, 1775
178	Mayer, John G	September 3, 1794	*e* May 10, 1797
411	Memminger, C G	June 9, 1830	*e* February 5, 1868
79	Meurset, Peter	June 17, 1772	*d* October 2, 1780
243	Meurset, John	March 9, 1803	*d* June 16, 1810
71	Mey, Florian Charles	July 24, 1771	*d* February 23, 1829
58	Meyer, Philip	April 25, 1770	*d* November 28, 1785
12	Miller, Martin	January 15, 1776	*d* May 16, 1788
19	Miller, Adam	February 5, 1766	*e* February 8, 1767
136	Miller, John	October 19, 1785	*d* March 3, 1802
202	Miller, Nicholas	December 16, 1795	*d* July 9, 1809
226	Miller, Frederick	February 12, 1800	*r* August 9, 1809
338	Miller, Abraham	January 13, 1819	*e* May 8, 1822
339	Miller, William	January 20, 1819	*e* May 8, 1822
342	Miller, John C	January 27, 1819	*e* August 10, 1831
8	Mintzing, Philip	January 15, 1766	*d* August 3, 1781

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130	Mintzing, Jacob	June 11, 1783	*d* May 5, 1784
275	Mintzing, Jacob F	January 24, 1810	*d* March 15, 1842
341	Mohr, Henry	January 20, 1819	*r* January 27, 1831
216	Mood, Peter	January 24, 1798	*d* October 20, 1821
305	Mood, John	July 26, 1815	*d*
350	Mood, Peter, Jr.	February 9, 1820	*r* March 23, 1842
351	Mood, Christian A	February 9, 1820	*e* November 8, 1826
429	Mood, W G	May 21, 1834	*e* February 5, 1868
431	Mood, Peter	June 4, 1834	*r* March 23, 1842
432	Mood, E M	June 4, 1834	*r* January 26, 1842
325	Mosiman, Jacob	June 18, 1817	*d*
60	Mote, Christian	May 23, 1770	*e* November 5, 1772
63	Muckenfuss, Michael	June 13, 1770	*d* March 23, 1779
306	Muckenfuss, Michael	March 16, 1796	*d* August 2, 1808
238	Muckenfuss, Henry	March 18, 1801	*r*
382	Muckenfuss, James C	January 18, 1826	*d* December 7, 1829
394	*Muckenfuss, Henry W*	September 17, 1828	
468	*Muckenfuss, B S D*	January 19, 1839	
592	*Muckenfuss, B A*	October 31, 1860	
596	*Muckenfuss, C H*	February 11, 1863	
607	*Muckenfuss, W G*	January 20, 1864	
645	*Muckenfuss, W M*	September 19, 1866	
121	Muller, Albert A	January 9, 1839	*d* March 27, 1793
333	Muller, Rev. Albert A	April 22, 1818	*r* January 28, 1824
324	Muller, Ferdinand	August 19, 1818	*e* May 19, 1824
293	Meyer, John	February 20, 1812	*e* July 17, 1833
501	Mensingmeyer, C F	January, 1850	*d*
502	*Massott, H*	January, 1850	
520	Mitchell, C T	January, 1851	*r*
560	*Melchers, F*	January 19, 1859	
562	*Melchers, A*	January 19, 1859	
581	*Marsh, J G*	January 18, 1860	
624	Mehrtens, R	May 16, 1866	*d* December 14, 1867
635	*Marshall, E W*	August 22, 1866	
636	*Murrell, J H*	August 22, 1866	
648	McKay, W	September 19, 1866	*e* February 5, 1868
657	Mertens, Joseph	August 29, 1866	*d* March, 5, 1868
655	Martin, J S	December 19, 1866	*e* February 10, 1869
682	*Muller, W*	January 9, 1867	
599	Muller, H H	January 17, 1866	*r* February 16, 1870
164	Naser, Henry	April 18, 1792	*d* May 17, 1794
353	Naser, Frederick	February 7, 1821	*e*
150	Neuman, George F	January 21, 1789	*d* November 2, 1793
477	Nicolai, John H	January 27, 1841	*r*
317	Norman, George A	March 13, 1816	*d*
76	Nufer, John Herman	April 1, 1772	*d* July 19, 1776
681	*Nimitz, Adolph*	January 9, 1867	
233	Oeland, John	January 14, 1801	*d*
282	Ohlweiller, Michael	March 14, 1810	*d* August 25, 1821
563	Otten, Cord	March 16, 1859	*d* March 17, 1859
580	*Olney, H B*	January 11, 1860	
633	*Olney, C C*	August 15, 1866	
591	*Ogemann, J C*	October 31, 1860	
686	*Opdebeck, F*	April 3, 1867	
286	Pagels, Christian	November 7, 1810	*d* July 27, 1812
180	Patrick, Casimir	September 10, 1794	*d* January 15, 1797
357	Patrick, Casimir	April 10, 1822	*d*

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488	*Patrick, J B*	January, 1847	
67	Peterman, Lewis	March 20, 1771	*d* October 29, 1778
94	Petsch, Adam	December 31, 1777	*d* December 16, 1794
340	Petsch, Julius	January 20, 1819	*e* August, 1820
87	Pfenninger, Martin	June 5, 1776	*d* September 20, 1782
103	Philips, John C	August 12, 1778	*d* December 1, 1795
295	Philips, Charles C	November 4, 1812	*d* August, 1815
207	Philips, John M	April 20, 1796	*e* August 7, 1801
259	Pickenpack, John	January 21, 1807	*r* January 12, 1815
215	Poppenheim, Lewis	January 24, 1798	*d* September 22, 1829
231	Poppenheim, John	December 17, 1800	*d* July 8, 1867
479	Poppenheim, J F, M.D.	September 15, 1841	*r* February, 1869
646	Poppenheim, J F	September 19, 1866	*r*
292	Praunninger, Leonard	January 16, 1811	*d* October 25, 1814
448	Prevost, Joseph	April 20, 1836	
487	Panknin, C H	January, 1844	*r* November, 1852
273	Pelzer, Anthony A	October 25, 1809	*d*
494	*Pelzer, A P, M.D.*	January, 1849	
514	*Pelzer, G S, M.D.*	January, 1851	*r* January, 1855—re-adm'd Jan. 17, 1866.
493	*Pelzer, F J*	January, 1849	
518	Porter, N M	March, 1851	*r*
647	Panknin, J W	September 19, 1866	*e* March 10, 1868
659	*Panknin, C H*	August 15, 1866	
664	Purcell, J	August 15, 1866	*e* February 5, 1868
676	*Plenge, C*	October 10, 1866	
683	*Petersen, J N*	January 30, 1867	
694	*Porter, W D*	September 5, 1866	
182	Ransier, Jacob L	September 24, 1794	*e* May 8, 1822
184	Rau, John Michael	October 8, 1794	*d* October 9, 1822
368	Ribbeck, Frederick	June 16, 1824	*r* May 18, 1825
358	Ring, David A.	December 4, 1822	*r* November 5, 1851
289	Rivers, John	January 2, 1811	*d* December 29, 1831
400	Roach, Henry	July 1, 1829	*d* October 6, 1836
323	Roh, Jacob F	March 20, 1817	*d* August 25, 1823
427	Royal, William, Jr.	January 15, 1834	*r* January 26, 1842
59	Rolfes, George	April 25, 1770	*e* November 11, 1772
256	Rose, Henry	December 31, 1806	*r* October 18, 1820
20	Rossberg, Frederick	February 12, 1766	*d* November 1, 1776
298	Rou, Charles	January 27, 1813	*d* November 30, 1816
311	Rou, George D	November 1, 1845	*e* August 6, 1823
140	Ruppell, Jacob	July 12, 1786	*d* February 26, 1797
496	*Renneker, J H*	January, 1849	
610	*Renneker, F W*	January 31, 1866	
500	Reynolds, G N, Jr.	January, 1850	*e* February 5, 1868
522	Reid, Andrew	February, 1851	*e* February 5, 1868
579	*Robb, James*	January 4, 1860	
675	*Rentiers, J G*	March 6, 1867	
695	*Rodgers, F S*	April 24, 1867	
709	*Riecke, Gerhard*	March 2, 1870	
91	Sass, Jacob	July 9, 1777	*d* February 12, 1836
271	Sass, Edward G	April 26, 1809	*d* January 20, 1849
296	Sass, William H	December 30, 1812	*d* November 4, 1825
437	Sass, Jacob K	January 21, 1835	*r* July 15, 1840
452	Sass, Richard F	October 19, 1836	*e* February 10, 1840
138	Saylor, David	June 7, 1786	*d* April 19, 1791
412	Saylor, S S	June 16, 1830	*d* June, 1837

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420	Schaffer, Michael C	May 25, 1831	*r* April 25, 1838
494	Schaffner, F	January 20, 1830	*d* August 15, 1835
157	Schepeler, Lewis C A	December 7, 1791	*r* April 25, 1792
377	Schirer, John	April 20, 1825	*d* March 13, 1827
218	Schirmer, John E	February 6, 1799	*d* January 21, 1824
436	Schirmer, W H	January 21, 1835	*d*
372	*Schirmer, Jacob F*	October 20, 1824	
26	Schlosser, John J	June 4, 1776	*e* February 8, 1769
35	Schmidt, Melchior	November 26, 1776	*e* May 10, 1769
179	Schmidt, John F	September 10, 1794	*d* June 11, 1804
193	Schmidt, John	May 6, 1795	*d* March 30, 1818
203	Schmidt, Christopher	December 28, 1795	*d* April 16, 1814
389	Schneider, Christian	February 27, 1827	*d* August 18, 1837
265	Schnell, John Jacob	January 6, 1808	*d* August 30, 1830
262	Schnierle, John M	September 30, 1807	*d*
415	Schnierle, John	December 22, 1830	*d* April 15, 1869
426	Schnierle, Frederick	June 12, 1833	*d* April 28, 1838
451	*Schnierle, W*	October 19, 1836	
367	Schreiner, John H	February 11, 1824	
293	Schroder, John	October 31, 1811	*r* April 16, 1828
281	Schroder, John A.	February 28, 1810	*e* February 6, 1822
440	Schroder, W T	January 21, 1835	*d* November 19, 1836
388	*Schreiner, John H*	February 21, 1827	*d* August 15, 1835
158	Schultz, Christopher	December 14, 1791	*d* August 27, 1792
310	Schultz, John	October 4, 1815	*r* March 3, 1830
148	Schutt, Casper C	June 4, 1788	*d* June 13, 1803
322	Schutt, Lewis H C	March 29, 1817	*r* February 7, 1821
43	Schwartz, Michael	April 1, 1767	*d* July 19, 1790
248	Schwartz, John	August 1, 1804	*d* May 31, 1819
383	Schwartz, Rev. J G	July 30, 1828	*d* August 26, 1831
31	Schwarzkopf, J N	July 23, 1766	*d* July 10, 1772
374	Seimer, Christoff	July 23, 1825	*d*
402	Selin, Peter	October 7, 1839	*d* March 25, 1841
132	Senf, Christian	March 10, 1784	*d* August, 1806
378	Seyle, Samuel	November 2, 1825	*r* December 21, 1836
454	Seymour, R W	January 4, 1837	*e*
396	Shaffer, Frederick	October 22, 1828	*r*
32	Sheets, Christopher	July 23, 1766	*d* October 21, 1785
108	Sheffer, Jacob	February 3, 1779	*e* August 11, 1779
40	Shindler, Simon	January 21, 1767	*e* February 10, 1768
249	Shirer, John	December 5, 1804	*d* June 19, 1807
272	Shirer, John	October 4, 1809	*d* November 6, 1822
328	Shirer, Michael	September 3, 1817	*r* March 27, 1822—readmitted Jan. 9, '28
81	Shlapfer, Conrad	April 28, 1773	*d* November 8, 1775
176	Shreiner, Nicholas	April 30, 1794	*d* July, 1806
18	Shutterling, John	February 5, 1766	*d* October 30, 1786
175	Shutterling, Andrew	April 23, 1794	*d* October 7, 1802
380	Siegling, John Sr.	December 28; 1825	*d* October 31, 1867
525	Siegling, J, Jr.	January, 1852	*d* October, 1857
585	*Siegling, Henry*	January 18, 1860	
666	*Siegling, Rudolph*	January 17, 1866	
321	Siffey, Henry	January 22, 1817	*d*
17	Sigwald, Christian	January 29, 1766	*d* March 26, 1780
213	Sigwald, Thomas	July 26, 1797	*d* September 27, 1828
287	Sigwald, John C	January 24, 1827	*e* August 6, 1834
163	Silberg, Nicholas	April 18, 1792	*d* December 26, 1801

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283	Smeisser, Frederick	April 14, 1810	*d* September, 1814
95	Smith, John Christian	December 31, 1777	*e* February 9, 1785
235	Smith, Peter	January 28, 1801	*d* September 15, 1824
356	Smith, Daniel	January 1, 1822	*d* November 17, 1833
363	Smith, Jacob	July 30, 1823	*e* November 9, 1831
418	Smith, James M	April 20, 1831	*d*
474	Smith, Rev. W H	January 22, 1840	*r*
614	*Smith, Theodore D*	March 7, 1866	
641	*Smith, W H*	September 11, 1866	
33	Smyser, Paul	July 30, 1766	*d* March 25, 1786
96	Smyser, Jacob	January 14, 1778	*d* February 25, 1782
124	Snyder, Paul	February 2, 1780	*e* August 6, 1783
4	Speidel, Abraham	January 15, 1766	*d* February 4, 1783
23	Speidel, John	May 7, 1766	*d* November 18, 1771
131	Spencer, Sebastian	October 15, 1783	*e* February 10, 1790
61	Stapf, Lewis	May 23, 1770	*e* February 9, 1780
98	Stattler, John	April 8, 1778	*d* September 11, 1787
186	Stecher, Christopher	January 21, 1795	*d* February 3, 1820
236	Steinmetz, J E A	March 11, 1801	*r* May 28, 1817
230	Steinmeyer, Geo. W	September 24, 1800	*d* December 20, 1830
608	Steinmeyer, W H	January 17, 1866	*e* March 10, 1869
422	*Steinmeyer, John F*	January 4, 1832	
438	*Steinmeyer, John H*	January 21, 1835	
553	*Steinmeyer, J H, Jr.*	April, 1857	
601	*Steinmeyer, J F, Jr.*	January 17, 1866	
617	*Steinmeyer, Geo. E*	April 18, 1866	
669	*Steinmeyer, A B*	January 3, 1867	
109	Stetzer, Daniel	March 31, 1779	*d* August 11, 1779
208	Stoll, Jacob	July 13, 1796	*d* October 6, 1802
309	Stoll, James G	September 27, 1815	*d* November 24, 1822
327	Stoll, William F	August 20, 1817	*e* May 8, 1822
47	Storr, Peter	December 9, 1767	*e* February 8, 1769
101	Streit, Rev. Christian	June 3, 1778	*e* February 11, 1784
10	Strobel, Daniel	January 15, 1766	*d* December 7, 1806
97	Strobel, John	March 4, 1778	*e* February 9, 1785
154	Strobel, Jacob	July 21, 1790	*d* September 12, 1823
166	Strobel, Daniel, Jr.	April 11, 1792	Honorary member, January 20, 1819
210	Strobel, John	January 11, 1797	*e* August 5, 1829
242	Strobel, Lewis	January 19, 1803	*d*
253	Strobel, Benjamin	October 15, 1806	*r* January 30, 1828
263	Strobel, Martin	December 16, 1807	*d* June 10, 1838
359	Strobel, Frederick L	December 11, 1822	*d* August 23, 1827
376	Strobel, Benj. B., M.D.	April 6, 1825	*e* August 5, 1829
445	Strobel, Maynard D	January 20, 1836	*r* November 27, 1839
223	Strohecker, John	January 15, 1800	*d*
381	Strohecker, Charles C.	December 28, 1825	*d* March 31, 1841
450	Strohecker, G E	October 19, 1836	*d*
466	Strohecker, J L	December 19, 1838	*d*
485	Strohecker, H F	November, 1843	*r* February, 1852
533	Strohecker, J P	November, 1853	*e* February 5, 1868
626	*Strohecker, C C*	May 30, 1866	
632	*Strohecker, John*	August 8, 1866	
229	Summer, John A, Jr.	February 26, 1800	*e* August 11, 1803
3	Swint, John	January 15, 1766	*e* August 10, 1774
143	Switzer, John R	October 17, 1787	*d* July 1, 1810
497	Stall, F	May, 1849	*d* February, 1858

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498	Schmidt, J H	September, 1849	*e* January, 1868
504	*Small, Jacob*	January, 1850	
658	*Small, John J*	November 14, 1866	
505	Schuckmann, L	January, 1850	*e* May, 1852
513	Schneider, N R	January, 1851	*e* August, 1851
521	Sass, G W	January, 1851	*r* January, 1851
528	*Sahlmann, C*	January, 1852	
544	*Schulte, J H*	February, 1855	
588	Schirmer, W C	February 1, 1860	*d*
548	*Schirmer, J S*	January, 1855	
616	*Schirmer, F M*	April 18, 1866	
556	Schreiner, J H, Jr.	February, 1858	*e* February 5, 1868
602	*Stoppelbein, L E*	January 17, 1866	
603	*Schwake, A H*	January 17, 1866	
620	*Stoll, H C*	May 16, 1866	
652	*Simonton, C H*	August 8, 1866	
663	*Simonds, Andrew*	October 3, 1866	
678	*Steiber, J*	January 30, 1867	
679	*Sigwald, C B*	August, 15, 1867	
695	*Simmons, B F*	February 3, 1869	
697	*Schmetzer, G Charles*	February 17, 1869	
239	Taylor, Wm. Malcom	March 18, 1801	*d* August 25, 1811
318	Taylor, Wm. Henry	August 28, 1816	*r* September 1, 1819
128	Teise, Gerard	May 14, 1783	Honorary member
465	*Tharin, Edward C*	November 28, 1838	
181	Theus, James	September 17, 1794	*e* August 6, 1800
	Tldyman, Philip, M.D.		Adm'd an honorary mem'r Dec. 21, '25, *d* June 1, 1850
66	Timmons, Lewis	February 20, 1771	*d* April 26, 1803
72	Timrod, Henry	January 8, 1772	*d* August 12, 1794
301	Timrod, Wm. H	November 13, 1813	*d* July 28, 1838
424	Trapman, Lewis	May 8, 1833	*d*
531	*Trescot, G F*	January, 1853	
589	*Tovey, H M*	February 1, 1860	
593	*Tobias, A L*	May 7, 1862	
627	*Tideman, Otto*	June 20, 1866	
685	*Trim, W J*	January 9, 1867	
260	Ullrich, Samuel	April 25, 1807	*e* November 7, 1810
227	Umbach, Jacob	February 12, 1800	*d* June 24, 1810
37	Vilhauer, John G	December 31, 1766	*d* April 25, 1796
51	Volck, Conrad	April 20, 1768	*e* February 13, 1771
391	Van Rhyn, John M	May 2, 1827	*d*
625	*Vollers, J H*	May 16, 1866	
688	*Von Kolnitz, G H*	May 30, 1866	
698	*Von Santen, F*	July 28, 1869	
155	Wagner, George	December 7, 1791	*r* April 25, 1792
401	Wagner, John, M.D.	September 16, 1829	*d* May 22, 1841
102	Walter, Paul	July 15, 1778	*e* February 5, 1783
28	Warley, Jacob	July 2, 1766	*r* July 22, 1767
287	Wartenberg, Peter	December 5, 1810	*d* July 26, 1817
205	Weissenger, John	January 20, 1796	*d* November 25, 1809
2	Werly, Melchior	January 15, 1766	*d* April 28, 1781
36	Wershing, Abraham	January 14, 1767	*d* November 22, 1767
82	Wershing, George	January 19, 1774	*e* November 22, 1775
106	Wershing, Casper	December 2, 1778	*d* July 9, 1793
107	Wesner, Henry P	December 9, 1778	*d* March 7, 1795

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291	Wesner, Frederick	January 9, 1811	*d*
395	Westendorff, C P L	October 8, 1828	*d* February 1, 1863
346	Weyman, Francis	January 12, 1820	*d* March 2, 1837
30	White, Jacob	July 2, 1766	*d* September 23, 1781
90	Will, Philip	June 11, 1777	*e* August 5, 1789
65	Willeman, Jacob	January 9, 1771	*d* August 5, 1820
70	Willeman, Christo.	April 3, 1771	*d* January 1, 1814
222	Willeman, Jacob, M.D.	July 17, 1799	*d* September 9, 1804
245	Willeman, George	January 18, 1804	*d*
390	Wilson, Samuel, M.D.	April 25, 1827	*r*
237	Wissman, C L	March 11, 1801	*e* August 6, 1806
279	Wit, John	January 31, 1810	*d* July 23, 1815
225	Wittich, Charles	February 12, 1800	*r* April 17, 1816
247	Wittich, Frederick	July 11, 1804	*r* February 2, 1814
455	Wittpen, Frederick	April 26, 1837	*r* March 28, 1852
86	Wolf, Matthias	May 24, 1775	*d* March 21, 1805
195	Wolf, Frederick	July 8, 1795	*d* February 21, 1801
255	Wurdemann, John G	December 24, 1806	*r* March 22, 1826
435	Wurdemann, J G F, M.D.	January 21, 1835	*d*
490	Wagener, J A	February, 1848	*e* February 9, 1859
495	*Wickenberg, F R*	January, 1849	
586	Wickenberg, E A	January 18, 1860	*d* April 28, 1869
508	*Whitney, T A*	November, 1850	
509	*Wayne, D G*	November, 1850	
515	*Wagner, T D*	January, 1851	
519	Werner, C	March, 1851,	*e* February 9, 1859
532	Westendorff, J S	December, 1853	
542	*Wienges, G W*	January, 1855	
543	*West, C H, Jr.*	January, 1855	
552	*Wienges, C M*	December, 1856	
584	Westendorff, C W	January 18, 1860	*e* February 5, 1868
590	Wagner, A C	May 9, 1860	*e* February 6, 1868
628	*Wohltman, J N M*	June 27, 1866	
634	*Witte, A F*	August 15, 1866	
644	*Waltgen E*	September 19, 1866	
656	*White, W T*	August 26, 1866	
662	*Wulbern, C*	August 15, 1866	
24	Young, George	May 7, 1766	*d* October 1, 1799
135	Young, George, Jr.	October 19, 1785	*e* May 9, 1798
409	*Yates, Jeremiah D*	February 3, 1830	
559	Young, H E	March, 1858	*r*
42	Zahler, Jacob	March 25, 1767	*e* July 15, 1789
113	Zeisel, Michael	July 28, 1779	*d* August 7, 1793

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